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FAR FRIENDS -You enlisted in His Majesty's Army upon, to pay the supreme was stirred at the street-call of the

The need of the Empire prompted you to go forth in her defence. It enmity in your heart against any race or nation. But you felt the burden of those who had suffered from a merciless for oppressor of the weak and helpless.

The call of stricken peoples clanged loudly - you licard and you wear the King's uniform is a liberate purpose of your life. You hope to return to your citizen life, when the conflict is victoriously concluded covered with the glory of war-and we sincerely hope you may come back to those who love you and watch and wait for you; and have your highest welfare at heart; and to the sulfilment of your life's ideals and ambitions creally interrupted by the claims created by this terrible carrage of blood.

A glad welcome awaits the heroes who return, and the truest sorrow will be felt for these whose manly forms are destined to lie beneath Leaf, "somewhere in France." They will be deeply and sincerely mourned.

A New Year's Message to Men of there, who know the man there, who know the man there who know the man the obedient sate death that the observation of the observation

By MRS. BLANCHE READ-JOHNSTON

At this festive season, no doubt, your hearts will turn to home and mother, wife, child, or fiances. You will try aud be gay and jovial with your khaki comrades. But there will be the scrious moments, and I. want to ask you to permit your thoughts to dwell upon higher things. Some of you have doubtless things, Some of you have gounters known for years the truest meaning of Christmas. You have, in some hippy, by-gone hour, yielded your, self to the claims of Jesus—perhaps you were a. Bandsman or: Local Officer in some Salvation Army Corps?

You have often proved, in the stress and strain of eyen this mili-tary life, with its peculiar temptations, that His grace is sufficient for, avery hour of suffering, suspense,

and terror.

Oh, happy British soldier of the King! Oh, happy Christian Soldier. of the Gross Whether you triumphantly return to the Maple Land, or you are called to higher service from Flanders' field, or occan grave, or hospital bed—all is, and will, be well.

by loving licerts and honoured in. But perhaps, khald reader, you the memory of a grateful country, have been careless and postponed the time of serious thought and religion? To you may I, in the few brief words the limitation of space will permit, point out that in Christ, will permit, point out that in Christ, who paid the supreme price, that all may understand — Love in its broadest, highest sense there is Salvation, and pardon, peace and

man! In Him, my brave khaki friend, soldier's life; a Christian, consistent sociare's ine; a Cornstant, consistent, security, 1990as, gay, hoyheed, mid-life in the trenche, on the sea and glad their home. But, den Maier, the camp or the hospital. He is the Dolorosa, He trod the sorrow pair. Source of all true manhood and To so do Ho came as a dear still

There is no other name given under Heaven whereby men can be saved." Do not fear to come to Him hitherto, the most important choice in life. He loves and understands. "Now is the day of Salvation." You will need Him in the testing hour will need Him in the testing hour is less hearth, make the year length by you like the group of soldiers under fire, aministry of love to others who sed in France, who cut up a Testament you, fill up the lonely places with amongst them, that therein they, loving service!

TO THE MOTHERS These are days of not only

great lesting of some bubble in mothers. And Britain's methers have shown themselves worthy of their blood and traditions. The have given their best in the speeds young manhood who have gon war. There has been the outward courage! Oftentimes the inward grief. The outward smile the secret tear.

The New Year will find many heavy hearts in British women as, women all over the world. Empty chairs, wacant places, where once strang, joyous, gay boyhood, made 20 50 00 Ho came as a dear sinte-Son to a loving Mother's heart His Son to a loving Mother's heart His births was for the purpose of giving the suppress gift of Himself for ob-tra. Take comfort in the testing hours in the thought that He conforts those who follow Him in the

If the New Year brings a cheer-

THE WEEK'S BEST STORY SELECTED FROM THE ARMYS PRESS

Wayward Welshman Found by days, and equal to the days." Such was the cry heard as Adjutant. Bainbridge entered a certain drinkdainbridge entered a cortain druik-ing saloon in Elizabethville, Belgian Congo. The speaker was a fine young fellow, sadly under the influ-ence of drink. He then approached of promised power and endowment.

"Bliss was it in that day to be alive, but to be young was very Heaven!"
The day of convulsion is, the day of our Lord. The foarfully unfamiliar the Salvationist, and, with tears in rank, whereupon the other said, "I know much about The Army and its working from the Old Country," inheritance. Our impossible marks

and the more abounding is the pret our difficulties as the index of our resources. Our mission betok-ens our capital in the bank and we can draw upon the unsearchable riches to the last demand of our

Then with God's mighty grace we an unlock ourselves. If life were

rain, the greater part of our bonner resources would remain unused and oncealed. It is in the mighty days that we discover ourselves. Lalest gifts troop out of their graves. Bur ied seeds spring into vigorous life. The big struggle becomes not only our revealer, but also our uncarther and we put on strength and majest

We are living through mighty days, and hy God's good grace we can be equal to the days, These are days of great unlockings, and Are having surprises on every side. as milksops are revealing the as dron pillars. One-while selfah men are unveiling their spiritual wealth in glorious sacrifice. Women who appeared to be living for nothing are giving their life like wise!
The "mighty days" are upon us and
God is making us equal to the days.

-Rev. J. II. Jowell.

FIGHT WHILE IT IS DAY

Hol, my comrade, war is raging, Evil forces fight, Mind and heart and hands eagaging Stand for Gad and right.

Storm the forts, for Christals call-Seek the last of men; Heal the sick and raise the falling. Save the world! Amen.

Armchair saints and lukeward
Christians
Are no use to Him;
Up and fight, attack sin's street

Ere the tlay grows dim. If you at the post of duty,
Lay your weapon down,
Then for you Christ holds ne heavy,

Heaven has no crown. Work and fight then while his day Soon the night will fall,

There is sweet to lay the sweet At the Muster's call

ROUSING SALVATION MEETINGS AT HALIFAX I AND ST. JOHN I, AND VISITS TO SUSSEX, ST. STEPHEN, AND WOODSTOCK

John City on Saturday, Dec.
Oth. over the arrival of
seventy Delegates to attend
the scries of Young Prople's Councils. Representatives from Prince
Edward Island, Fredericton, Amhim that the mighty impetus given the Young People of the Division would live in the hearts of all who herst, Moneton, Woodstock, Sussex, Chatham, St. Stephen, Springhill, and Yarmouth were present.

The No. I. Citadel was crowded The Mo. I. Cliadel was crowded for the great welcome meeting to these Delegates on Saturday night. The Commissioner presided Prayer by Colonel McMillan was followed victory.
The Commissioner was assisted by a march of the Delegates; each group bearing a card with the name of their Corps on it. To the inspiring strains of a lively tune by the Band they marched past the Com-

missioner, saluting as they did so. Major Barr gave a short address of welcome on behalf of the city Corps, and stated his belief that the morrow would prove a red-letter day in the experience of the Young

A good programme of music and song was rendered by local and visit-ing talent. The St. John Life-Sav-ing Guards, under Guard Leader Lane, gave a troop song and a kazoo selection excellently. The Commis-sioner gave a short, but interesting and powerful talk on the raising of widow's son.

No language can adequately de-scribe the Young People's Day, Un-bounded enthusiasm greeted the Commissioner's entry. The Hall was crowded, and in a short time every one settled down to what received a veritable spiritnal banquet. The Commissioner spoke of Benaiah, who slew a lion in a pit on a snowy day, drawing from this incident wonderfully instructive lessons for the Young People, and impress-ing all with the fact that they must be filled with holy ambitions if they would accomplish anything of value.

The many interesting stories told by the Commissioner served to fas-ten great trutbs in the minds of his

The Chief Secretary introduced a new chorus, which the Young People took up enthusiastically. The manner in which they responded when the meeting was thrown open for prayer was a very pleasing indi-cation of their spiritual aspirations. In the afternoon session the Com-

missioner spoke of the danger of avoiding responsibility and the necessity of self-control through the aid of the Holy Spirit.

"Let stumbling blocks become

ttepping stones to something high-er," he advised, relating steries of great men who started life greatly handicapped, but who became suc-cessful. He urged the Young People to search out and destroy the lions in their path.

A spirit of earnestness prevailed at the night session and faith was high that a work would be done that would stand the test of time and

Mrs. Major Barr prayed for Di-vine help and guidance. Brigadier Morris and Major Barr each spoke briefly, urging all to open their hearts to the good influences of the

The Commissioner gave a powerful and convincing address, and during the prayer meeting eighty-six came forward—twenty-three seeking Sanctification and sixty-four Sal-

The day concluded with a rousing, happy time of rejoicing. Major Barr sincerely thanked the Commissioner for his notiring efforts, and assured the return of the prodigal son, so was also God awaiting the return of

would live in the hearts of all who were privileged to attend.

After the close a young man, who was deeply convicted, decided to fol-low Christ, kneeling in prayer with two comrades in a little side room. A great struggle with the powers of darkness resulted in a glorious

throughout the day by Colonel Mc-Milan, Brigadier Morris, Major and Mrs. Barr, Ensign Best, and other Officers.—A. K.

DIVISIONAL COMMANDER'S OPINION

Major Barr, the Divisional Commantier, also telegraphs as follows:
"It is doubtful if a more entirely successful series of meetings was ever conducted in St. John as that comprised in the Young People's Campaign conducted by the Comssioner.

"Saturday night's welcome at No. Citadel was a veritable whirlwind 1. Clade: was a veritable whirtwhold of music, song, and stirring ad-dresses. Sunday's gatherings in the Orange Hall simply beggars descrip-tion. How the Commissioner did talk; how intensely interested were the Young People, and how abso-lutely indescribable the scene at night, when eighty-seven splendid Young People flocked to the Cross! Glorious results are still sure to follow in every corner of the Division. Everybody was inspired and grateful. To God be the glory!"

HALIFAX I.

According to the brief of arrangements in connection with the Com-missioner's visit to Halifax, Monday missioner's visit to Halifax, Monday was to, be spent on a Divisional Inspection, with the night free to rest. The first part of this arrangement was very fully carried out, but the latter—well, it is enough to say that the Commissioner conducted a rousing Salvation meeting in the No. I. Citadel, which was crowded to its summer tengent was crowded to its utmost capacity.
The Chief Secretary piloted the

preliminaries, and Adjutant Tunmer prayed that God would bless the gathering, Mrs. Lieut. Colonel Rees, who is visiting the Maritime Pro-vinces in the interests of the Women's Social Work, gave a very in-teresting talk. Brigadier Mofris also spoke. Captain and Mrs. Laurie, who have been appointed to take command of Halifax I. (pro tem), then rendered a duet, after which Colonel McMillan gave a short

Fellowing a selection on the aluin the state of th arose to speak. For a few minutes this was impossible, owing to the hearty hardelapping. The Commissioner stated it was a very great pleasure to be able to conduct a united meeting in control with this visit, although it had not been this visit, atthough it had not been counted upon, and then, with the power of God upon him, filling him, and touching his lips, he spoke of that wonderful set of parables in the 15th chapter of St. Mark's Gospel pointing out very clearly the great love and tenderness of the Son of God, and His wonderful sacrifice that means so much to mankind; reminding those present that, like the father of old anxiously awaiting

the sinner and the backslider.

After a short time of pleading, eight souls stepped out to seek pardon. It was especially pleasing to see one dear man hand over his cigars, etc., a real evidence of a desire to make a cleau cut from all things pertaining to sin. Another wonderful sight was that of a sailor com-ing resolutely from the back of the Hall, throwing his cap and coat down first, and then himself, at the feet of the Saviour. He had left the meeting, previous to this, but was so deeply under conviction that he had to return, A real, old-time "wind-up" took

A real, old-time wind-up took place at the close of the meeting, led on by the Commissioner, in which a friend of The Army (an evangelist), who was present in the meeting, spoke a few words and rendered a solo. On behalf of the Corps, Major Crichton thanked the Commissioner for his kindly thought in conducting the meeting, when he could have been resting; and it was the deep and fervent wish of all that the Commissioner returns at an early date.

SUSSEX

The next place to be called at was in the St. John Division, namely, Sussex, and at 8 p.m., when the Commissioner went on to the plat-form on which was seated the Mayor and a splendid representative number of clergymen and leading townsmen, a fine crowd had assembled

Colonel McMillan evoked Divine blessing on the gathering, after which Major Barr introduced the Chairman, Mayor Wallace, who stated that it was an honour to preside over such a gathering, and he had much pleasure on behalf of the Town Council and citizens of Sussex, as well as for himself, in welcoming the Commissioner to the town and presenting him to a Sussex andience.

The Commissioner, in his usual fiery, interesting, and eloquent man-ner, spoke at length on the world-wide work of The Army. He re-minded his hearers that The Army stood for the Bible, first, last, and all the time; and that its fundamental

the time; and that its fundamental ductrine was the saving and keeping power of Jesus Christ. Brigadier Morris then soloed, after which I. McKenna, Esq. a warm friend of The Army, moved that a hearty voite of thanks be accorded the speaker of the evening for his "cloquent address," and wished the Commissioner many account address," and wished the "cloquent address," and wished the Commissioner many years more in which to carry on the good work in which he was engaged. This was seconded by the Rev. Mr. Michell of the Prestyterian Church. The Rev. Mr. Shuen, of the Angli-

can Church, then spoke a few words of his appreciation of the Commissioner's address, and told a delightstoners address, and told a deligat-ful story of his college days. He stated that one of the young men who went to College with him was a fine fellow in every respect, but got into bad company, and was finally expelled from the college. From this he went to worse sins, and at last was an absolute down-and-out on the streets of Winnipeg. He came in contact with the Social Department of The Salvation Army, who took an interest in him, helped him regain his lost manhood, and, better still, helped him find the Saviour:

and to-day that man is a good clergyman.

Several other Ministers gave short addresses of appreciation, and the meeting closed with the singing of the National Anthem, after Major Barr, in well-chosen words, had voiced the appreciation of the local Corps' Officers—Captain and Mrs.

ST. JOHN I.

The night meeting conducted by the Commissioner at St. John I. was announced as a Salvation meeting. but to say the least it was a com-bination of a real "Army Praise Meeting" and "Salvation Battle for Souls." From the very first note Alecting and "Salvation Battle fon Souls." From the very first note struck of "We Are Travelling Home," to the last "Amen!" the Presence of God was wonderfully felt; and it was not to be wondered at that good results were the out-

Major Barr prayed, after which the Chief Secretary outlined the work of the Commissioner covering the past few days in connection wit the present tour; and spoke of the power of God in his own heart and life. Mrs. Lieut.-Colonel Rees was the next speaker, and, after a solo, Brigadier Morris gave an earness testimony and appeal The No. I. Band then very creditably rendered a short selection, and the praise section of the meeting, for a time, was

The Commissioner left no doubt that the souls of the unconverted and the backsliders were matters of deep concern to him; and hearts deep concern to him; and hearts were stirred to prayer, that God would use him, as he spoke. Modernizing the story of the Ten Virgins, the Commissioner made it very plain to all that it was indeed possible for mankind to find the door of opportunity forests. of opportunity forever closed against of opportunity forever closed against them, with a deep chasm of eternal darkness ready to swallow those souls up who would not accept Christ. He besought those without the Saviour to yield, and, after a real battle royal, fonrteen souls surrendered

Choruses of praise and rejoicing were then sung, the chorus, "You Will Need a Friend," which, by the way, is most popular in the Mariway, is most popular in the man-time Provinces, being sung with accompanying handclappings over, and over again. All good things have an ending, and at last the Commissioner announced that it would be sung once more; during the ren-dering of which a broken-hearted, sister came forward to accept the Friend of all friends—making a total of fifteen souls for the meeting.

The St. John I. Life-Saving Gnards under Leader Bessie Lane, and the Life-Saving Scouts, under Leader Phippen, are doing magnificently, and these two organizations were well represented by a fine crowd in full uniform. Again, by the way, the Troop of Guards have now eight girls who have passed their second test, and the Scouts five boys.

ST. STEPHEN

St. Stephen was the next town to receive a visit from the Commisioner, and notwithstanding the very inclement weather, a magnificent erowd gathered to hear him. After prayer by Colonel McMillan, Major rr introduced His Worship Mayor Grimmer, who ably presided over the gathering. "I assure you that it

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he went—he's in Egypt, you know —I was so lonely. Oh, so lonely!"

The catch in the voice came again, resolutely this time.

ing in and out, and the baby was

After her confession and prayer for deliverance, the woman had a lemble fight. There were times when it scened to the Salvationis, in spite of her faith, that the drink devil would never be cast out. But prayer and faith prevailed.

PATHETIC EXCLAMATION OF A SOLDIER'S WIFE All this happened more than a year ago. This woman's temptation to take drink no longer exists. But there are other women in the same position. They feel, many of them, as she felt. Their cry is often, as was hers—"I wish I couldn't ge: it!" But, in spite of this, England still gives it to them,-"The Deliverer."

IN THE CONGO

his eyes, said:-

"O my God, Salvation Army!"

Can I have a word with you,

Adjutant?" The Adjutant expressed

his surprise at the man knowing his

len deeply into sin.
"What can I do?" he cried. "I

am a slave to the drink!" and con-

fessed that he consumed a bottle of

whiskey every day. Encouraged by

woman's blue eyes were piteous. her hips trembled, her rough, hardworking hands moved nervously on her lap. She turned her head aside. there was a catch in her breath, and then the tears rolled unheeded down

"I WISH 1 COULDN'T GET IT"

her cheeks. "Tell me," said the Salvationist, and there was more of compassion than repreach in her voice, "when

you started to drink." "Only since he's heen gone." came the unexpected but perioctly struthful answer. "Jim doesn't drink; lie's been teetotal always. And we never had it in my home. But after

but the tears were blinked back

"We'd moved to London so as he could come home easy when he had leave. And he was with us often. Then he was ordered off. I hadn't got any friends—they were all in the country. There was no one com-

ing in a secting, you know, "Bone day I was with the woman worame most door she gave me some. And In a private room or the she went into the pub-with het, told, his sad story. He had come, then I went into the pub-with het, told, his sad story. He had come, then I went would be the same with the sheer come, and again, and now—Oh, I wish I verted in a revival, and for a time consider get it. I wish, becouldn't get are well. But on going to the Bellin's and the same will be to going to the Bellin's and the same will be an interest and had falling the same will be same to same will be same to go to way from the same the Penitent. Same deeply into sin.

side her. Cecil Rhodes once called this place "The Dividing Line."

knocs, and cried out in agony of soul for deliverance.

His loud prayer brought the pro-

but, seeing the couple so profitably. engaged, he beat a hasty retreat. tant that he was the son of a noted Welsh minister, whose name was a household word throughout Wales.

Next day our comrade cycled out to the mine where he worked, in-search of the man, who was evidently touched by the carnest desire to

"Oh," said he, "I am only one of many in this Congo, who have gone astray for the want of a helping hand. I can never thank you enough for coming all this way just on pur-pose to see me."-"Social Gazette."

THE MEN OF MIGHTY DAYS

Walt Whitman has a great word in his culogy of General Grant. He describes him as "a man of mighty word is just a transscript of the Divine promise. We are always pur-posed by our God to be more than a match for the largest circumstances, more than level with the vastest opportunity, more than adequate to the most exacting task. quate to the most exacting task. royal privilege because they are days task is a strange door into a new

the very hour of grace. In the "mighty days" we can un-lock the mighty power of God. The background of every day is grace. need. "As thy days, so shall thy

aoul for deliverance.

His soud-prayer foroughs the fro- broken up by ficross tempest, by priston of the salesin into the room, thinder and lightlings and speling



Deputy Bandmaster C. Kurtz Of Regina, killed in action in France

"RILLED IN ACTION"

On Sunday night, Nov. 19th, at Regina, a memorial service was held for the late Deputy Bandmaster Chris Kurtz, who died on national gervice. Major Coombs conducted the proceedings. About one hundred and fifty members of the local Orange Order paraded to the Cita-

tel, being met en route by the Band.

Envoy Peacock, who knew Christwhen he first became a Salvationist, spoke in glowing terms of his life in Regina and of the good inflûence he shed abroad, Mrs. Adjutant Hoddinott spoke words of comfort to the bereaved on behalf of the Corps. Mr. Dawson spoke of the influence for good that the Deputy was when filling his position as Chaplain of the Lodges, and stated that his life was an example to all the members. Bandmaster Henderson spoke on behalf of the Band, and told of the Snterest the Deputy had in his work and position in the Band. He knew, that "Chris" was an out-and-out

Major Coombs read letters of sympathy from Ensign Ursaki, Ad-Jutant Jaynes, and our late com-rade's employer, as well as several others. The Band sang one of the favourite songs of our late comrade, entitled, "Thy Will Be Donc." Bandsman Reynolds then spoke of Chris, who had lived in his home for the past seven years. To show the cerpts from a letter he had sent to MANADADADADADADADADADA

Prayer Topics 1. Pray for a baptism of the Holy

Ghost on all the world. 2. Thanksgiving for great vic-kories in the putting away of the drink evil in Canada,

3. Pray that it may be put away ppeedily in Great Britain. 4. Pray for "our boys" with the troops in training and at the front.

5. Pray that the thoughtless and careless may give serious considera-

kion to present conditions, and turn-ko the Lord in prayer.

6.6 Pray for a great splittual turn-ling to our Christ and Saviour by the people eyerywhere.

7. Pray for Chaplains, all spiritual Readers, doctors, nurses, Red Cross workers, and all who minister to the

workers, and all who minister to the material, bodily, and spiritual needs of our soldiers.

8. Pray for The Army Bandsmen he be a real influence for God and good among our khaki men.

9. Pray for mothers, wives, and bisters, who have given their beet-

Doved ones for King and Empire.

10. Pray for the bereaved and

If Pray for the progress of The

BAND NOTES

tation to keep on working for God

and The Army.
The Band played the Dead March in Saul, after which Major Coombs took the lesson, and spoke very earnestly. We know that the Spirit strove hard with one comrade, who was at one time the Bandmaster of the Regina Band. We pray God will soon bring him back to the fold.

[Amen!—Ed.]—A. H. Smith.

THREE SCENES

Showing How Salvationists in Khaki Are Letting Their Light Shine.

The first scene is in the bush that forms a natural boundary to Camp Borden. It is a dark night, and it seems very uninviting, but seated on some logs are to be dimly seen the forms of some thirty men.

These men have gathered at the invitation of one of our Officers—now a private—who, in his zeal for God, has decided that something must be done to help the men of Camp Borden. This meeting was the means of starting that series of wonderful open-airs, which were the means of leading some thirty-five or forty men to kneel at the Drumhead claiming Salvation.

Scene Two: A "fete"; the 142nd Battalion entertaining the 161st. Two men are seen to steal away; one suggests to the other that he accompany him in reading and praying with the ungodly men who occupy another tent. It is discovered that the said man-a Captain in The Salvation Army is in the

Seene Three: A tent, one allotted to handsmen in which is a Salvation to bandsmen in which it's Salvation Army Officer, the only Christian in the band. The said Officer, while saying his prayers one evening, overhears some bad language. He, immediately saw his opportunity, and started a conversation on "Bandsmen would happen in the last days." Som the men became interested and piled him with questions; and, as the end. him with questions; and, at the end of half an hour, a very serious lot of men turned in to sleep. A splendid work is being accomplished by our Officers in khaki.—One of

The Montreal I, Band has not forgotten their comrade Bandsmen at have been sent on, along with socks knit by the Home League. Our pray-ers go up continually for our com-rades who will spend the Yuletide season many miles away from their



Bandsman Edward Taylor, of Winnipeg, is the comrade kneeling at the left hand side of the picture, now in the trenches. This photograph was taken in France.

Bandsman W. Jones Of Hamilton I., killed in action

Bandsman W. Jones, Hamilton L.

Our comrade was born at Eccles, England, twenty-four years ago, and came to Canada with his parents three years ago. He was saved in the Juniors at ten years of age, and when fifteen years was transferred to the Senior Corps and into the Band, where he had remained ever since.

He enlisted in July, 1915, with the 92nd Highlanders as a Bandsman, and went overseas with that batta-lion last May. After being in England a short time he volunteered for the trenches, and was sent to France in September. On Nov. 20th, while in the act of driving an iron while in the act of driving an iron bar to secure the wire entanglements in "No-Mañ's Land," he was shot through the head by a German snip-er, dying instantly. A father, mother and brother mourn his loss in Canada, and a brother in England with

A few weeks ago the Belleville Band went by motor bus to Point Ann, where they gave a musical evening in the schoolhouse. Although a wet night, the people came from quite a distance and packed the building. On Tuesday of this week they went again by bus to Wal-bridge, at the invitation of Rev. Mr. Sharp. A good programme was giv-en to an appreciative audience, af-ter which the members of the Band enjoyed refreshments kindly pro-vided by the ladies of the church. On both of these occasions we were pleased to have with us Sergeant Pollick of the 235th Battalion Band,

The Praying League

work of the Social Service League.
13. Pray for sick and wounded Salvation Army Officers. 14. Pray that those who make the

st. Fray that those who make the supreme sacrifice may be conscious of Divine Grace. 15. Pray especially for the mothers

In the world.

16. Pray for Divine wisdom to he granted The Salvation Army, The General, and all Salvation Army Leaders, in planning the winter's

Bible Study on Delayed Answer to Prayer

SUNDAY-Job 13:24; 30:20-24; Psalm 74:1; 77:7-8. MONDAY-Psalm 31:4; 39:46; Habakuk 2.

TUESDAY-Luke 18:7-8. Promise Fulfilled-Exodus 9:33; 33:17. WEDNESDAY-Deuteronomy 9: 19; 10:10; 2 Samuel 22:7,

Salvation Army in Canada and all THURSDAY-2 Kings 13:4; 19:14he lands.

10. Pray for much blessing upon 10. Pray for sick and wounded 11. Pray for sick and wounded 12. Pray for sick and w

SELECTED THOUGHTS

lonely in your town; Were the Christ ill-clad and sick in

body and in soul;
Were the Christ sin-cursed, forgot,
and rotting in your fail—
What would you do for Him?"
"What?"

Deliverance From Sin Holiness is that state of our moral and spiritual nature which makes us like Jesus in His moral and spiritual nature. It does not consist in perfection of intellect, though the experience will give much greater clearness to a man's intellect and simplify and energize his mental operations. Nor does it Accessarily consist in perfection of

conduct, though a holy man seeks with all his heart to make his out-ward conduct correspond to his inward light and love. But Holiness does consist in complete deliverance from the sinful nature, and in the perfection of the spiritual graces of love, joy, peace, long-suffering, gentleness, goodness, truth, mek-ness, and self-control or temperance.

"Were the Christ hungry, thirsty, The love of Christ doth me con-Strain
To seek the wandering souls of men,

With cries, entreaties, tears to save! To snatch them from the gaping grave.

To Thee I all my powers present, That for Thy Truth they may be spent;
Fulfil Thy sovereign counsel, Lord;
Thy will be done, Thy name adored.

Give me Thy strength, O God of Then winds may blow, or thunders Thy faithful witness will I be: Tis fixed; I can do all through

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Colonel & Mrs. Jacobs Nelson Corps is Twenty Years Old

SAY FAREWELL TO HEAD. QUARTERS

Dec. 30, 1916

At Meeting Presided Over by the

At a happy little gathering in the Council Chamber on Thursday, Dec. 14th, Colonel and Mrs. Jacobs said farewell to their comrades at Territorial Headquarters, and were the recipients of many good wishes and congratulations on their new appointment.

Lieut-Colonel Bond, who led the gathering in prayer, besought God's blessing on the Colonel and his wife, and also prayed fervently for our Chaplains overseas and for our sick comrades. The Commissioner also offered a prayer of thankfulness for God's mercies during the past

Mrs. Commissioner Richards, on helaif of all the women Officers, ex-pressed her high opinion of Colonel. and Mrs. Jacobs as Salvationists, and especially referred to the good work done by the latter as a Home League Secretary. She wished them Godspeed and much blesisng and success in their new sphere, and consuccess in their new sphere, and con-cluded with a tender reference to Gordon Jacobs, who is lying very ill at present. This will necessitate Mrs. Jacobs remaining in Toronto for some time; and, under the cir-cumstances, Mrs. Richards com-mended her to the prayers of her

Majors Fraser, Jennings, and Moore each had a few words, referring to their long acquaintanceship with the Colonel and extending best wishes for the future. Adjutant Cornish paid a well-deserved tribute to

nish paid a well-deserved tribute to bit former chief, saying the Colonel had specially impressed him. by his genuine faith in the salvability of the worst of mankind. Mrs. Lieut-Colonel Rees referred to the very close co-operation hereen the Mer's and Women's So-cial Departments, and said that the Colonel had been a good ally to her in her work, and she would miss him.

Lieut.-Colonel Hargrave, who succeeds the Colonel as Men's Social Secretary, paid a warm tribute to bis predecessor, and said that he could wish for nothing better than to have his mantle fall upon himself. He counted it a great privilege to follow such an able and devoted Officer, and would do his best to carry on the work entrusted to him.

The Chief Secretary referred to his first meeting with Colonel Jacobs in the early days of Army warfare, in Canada, and the great impression he had created as a desperate fighter for souls. He also paid a graceful tribute to Mrs. Jacobs as a woman

who does her best to help and cheer all with whom she comes in contacr. Mrs. Colonel Jacobs made a touching little speech, thanking every one for all the kind things said and riving come intent till said, and giving some intimate little glimpses into her home life.

Colonel Jacobs also expressed his deep appreciation of all the senti-ments expressed, and paid a tribute to the loyal and devoted work of those who had been associated with him in the Men's Social Work. He was plad to any the the best had and in the Men's Social Work. He was glad to say that his health, since coming to Canada, had been better than he expected, and he looked forward confidently to being able to competently discharge the duties of his name and the same and th obspecently discarage the duties of his new post. He asked an interest in the prayers of all that he might have the necessary strength of hody, mind, and soul to do good-work for the future of this great Dominion.

The Commissioner gave of most striking and appropriate talk, using as a text home words uttered by an

SALVATIONISTS REVIEW HISTORY OF ORGANIZATION IN

NELSON-HAS HAD FIVE DIFFERENT HALLS

This post card was got out in connection with the 20th Anniversary of the Nelson Corps. On it may be seen a photo of the first Hall and the Corps in 1896, and one of the present Citadel. The first Office and the corps in 1990, and one of the present change. All the corner, ers—Adjustant and Mrs. Ayre—are shown in the right-hand top corner, and there are also photos of the present Officers—Ensign and Mrs. W. Carruthers—and the Divisional Commanders—Brig and Mrs. McLean.

["Daily News," Nelson, B.C.]
WENTY years ago this fall The Salvation Army planted its Flag in Nelson. This week-end the local Corps is celebrating its twentieth birthday in a series of special scr-vices, conducted by Brigadier Mc-Lean of Vancouver. Adjutant and Mrs. Ayre were the

pioneer Officers of the Work here. They, with the assistance of a few Salvationists who are living here, held their first open-air service on the corner of Baker and Ward the corner or Baker and Ward Streets, Mr. Pogue was present at this service, and is still a Soldier of the Corps. The first song given out was "Have you been to Jesus for

The cleansing power?"

The Army's first Hall was on Vernon Street, at the foot of Josephine
Street. It had been used as a carpenter shop, but with a few changes was made suitable for meetings. It was rather a dangerous place to hold services, as it was set on high posts, and rocked when the wind was high.

The Army had four different Halls before the present Citadel was built. From the carpenter shop it built. From the carpenter shop it moved to a building adjoining the Kootenay Hotel, which is now used as the hotel dining, room. The next move was to the building now used by the Standard Furniture Company as its undertaking parlours on Victoria Street. Later the ground out which the present Citals transfer. on which the present Citadel stands was bought and the frame building on it moved back and used until the new Citadel was built in 1901.

new Citadei was built in 1901.

The Salvation Army Band was organized in 1897 by Bandmaster Ted Frost of Calgary. He acted in this capacity for eight years, bringing the Band to a high musical standard. Much regret was expressed when he decided to move to the prairie in 1905. He is now serving with the Canadians in France. with the Canadians in France.

He was succeeded by Bandmaster Carey, who had charge till 1908, when Bandmaster H. Forsberg, the

Old Testament character: "Is thinc heart right? . . . Give me thine

hand."

He had no doubt at all about the heart of Colonel Jacobs being right, and therefore he gave him the hand of congratulation. "I am proud of you and pleased with you," he said,

present leader, arrived from Dau-phin, Man., and took charge of the Band, which he has conducted in a very successful manner. The Band very successful manner. The Band has not been so strong during this last two years, owing to many mem-bers having joined the colours, who are now doing their bit in France. Bandmaster Forsberg has also heard the call of his country and

last week enlisted in the 225th Battalion Band and has left to join the battalion at New Westminster.

During the last twenty years the Corp. has had twenty-eight different Officers in charge. Among these were: Adjutant and Mrs. AleGill, Adjutant and Mrs. Johnston, who both had long terms in charge of the Corps. The names of Adjutant Dennic and Lieutenant Waller should be mentioned, as they did a good work in Nelson. Of late years the following Officers have been in charge: Ensign William Richard-son, Ensign Jackson, Ensign D. Hale, Ensign McLean and Captain Hodson. During the past year Cap-tain and Mrs. Cox have been in charge, and under their direction charge, and under their direction much good work was accomplished. The Corps is now in charge of En-sign and Mrs. Carruthers, who were transferred here from Mount Plea-sant (Vancouver) last August.

A few of The Army's highest Executive Officers have visited Nel-Executive Otheers have visited Nelson from time to time. Commander Eva Booth, daughter of the late General William Booth, visited Nelson in 1901, and Commissioner Rees and Commissinner and Mrs. Sowton have also visited the city.

Some estimate of the work which has been accomplished by The Army may be gathered from the following Army records: More than 1,000 persons have accepted Salvation at the Penitent Form; 500 have been signed ed on as recruits, and 254 enrolled as Soldiers, while eight Salvation Army Officers have been sent into

 being appointed to this new posi-

The Commissioner went on to say Inc Commissioner went on to say that he gave the Colonel the hand of sympathy, of welcome, and of co-operation; and finally gave him his hand in a bargain—"Pray for us and we'll pray for you" Mrs. Colonel McMillan then

warmly shaking hands with the Colonel. "You have served us in a closed in prayer, asking for our com-nashion that has warmed my heart, rades God's presence and protection, and I beartily congratulate you on and His blessing on their work.

Corps. Included in this number and Ensign Knudson, who lost her life on the "Empress of Ireland"; Adjud-tant Adams, Captain Hodge, Ensign Pogue of the States, and Captain

Freisen, now in Bermuda. Brigadier McLean will arrive in the city to-night from Vancouver, and will conduct three services in the Citadel Sunday. The afternoon service will be a special united gathering in connection with the twen

OFFICERS' COUNCILS

Prove Times of Inspiration-Interesting Paper Read.

Lient.-Colonel and Mrs. Chandles conducted a very helpful day's Councils at Brantford recently, with twenty Officers of the Hamilton Division. The Spirit of God was present, bringing to our hearts and minds old truths with new vigour and causing us to appreciate more than eyer the opportunities which are ours in the great work to which God has called us.

In the morning session the Colo-nel's words on "Soul-Saving" stirred us deeply, and, as we united in prayer, there was an outburst of sin-cere desire that the supreme object of all Salvation Army efforts may be realized more and more.

Reports from various Officers dur-

ing the day showed that God had been moving amongst us. During the present week Hamilton III. res present week Hamilton III. rep-ports twenty at the Altar; Dundan six; Paris, eight; Dunnville, sevena-teen, and other Corps also sharing in the wave of blessing which is sweeping over us. Hallelujah!

sweeping over us. Hallelujah! In the afternoon session a very helpful paper, entitled "Why I Find the Life-Saving Scout and Guard Movements Helpful in My Corps" was read by Adjutant Osbourn, What the Adjutant stated in hig paper was rendered doubly forceful when its helpful in the state of the paper was rendered doubly forceful when in the state of the s when in the meeting at night his Troops paraded to give the salute to their Divisional Commander. Incidentally two new Scouts were end rolled. We hope that even greater things will be seen in this direction at each of the Corps represented in

the Council. There was nothing slow about the night meeting. The Colonel called on several speakers from among the men Officers; then, after a sweet selection by the Songsters, Mrs. Chandler called on some of the sisters. The Band played a spirited march, after which the Colonel delivered an earnest and forceful appeal to those in the meeting whose hearts were not right with We are all expecting great things for the future, and praising God for the evidences of his work-

ARMY HUT

Opened at London (Ont.) Came

ing amongst us.-S.

Atthough not a great crowd, yet an interested one, gathered at this opening of The Salvation Army Had at Queen's Park, London (Ont), on the evening of Dec. 6th. Adjutant A. Layman officiated, and asked God's bleesing upon it, and alsey leaded with God that some poof wanderer would find Him within the walls. The singing was grand, and walls. The singing was grand, and asked the control of the c Although not a great crowd, yet

God.

The Hut is an exhibition building owned by the Metal Shingle and Sid-ing Co. Ltd., of Preston, Ont. aid-they have very kindly loaned the building in the hopes that something may be done to help the men.

Shadowgraphs

BY THE SHADOW

Shadow had an occasion to visit bnadow had an occasion to visit the Commissioner's house last week and noticed that a church is being erested fext door, but one with no sign of name, and Shadow could not obtain information as to the creed or denomination of those for whom it is intended.

Shadow has noticed here and there that Salvation Army Halls are equally destitute; and he himself purgests to his enlightened comrade-Officers that this might with advantage be rectified.

Colonel Jacobs is observed in close confab with the Commissioner and Chief Secretary. Immigration is undoubtedly the subject.

fe is Thursday. Boards, Boards, all day long! Shadow finds no time to just a word in edgewise; Property, Trade, banquets, and other resistants to automatical the statement of t matters too numerous to mention,

Porter pulling at the Commis Forcer pusing at the commis-sioner's sieve; seven o'clock! All right—and soon the little wash and brush-up room is full to overflowing but Shadow notices that the party

The party joined by Brigadier Morehen, enjoy a substantial break-fast, and then visit Divisional Headquarters.

Shadow noticed the party reading Shadow noticed the party reading the announcement of Adjutant (Brickey's subjects for Sunday, neatly-painted outside the Montreal Citased door, the heard the Commissions remark, "Ohe of the man Officers with sense, ingenuity, and foresight.

Major Southall's full-moon face, radiating smiles, was observed on the platform as the train steamed out for Halifax.

Shadow desired to quietly and aimlessly stare out through the winhinlessly state out through the win-dow at the passing scenery; but how eigh he, when Chief Setretary busy with forms and correspondence; Commissioner deep in the life of a successful soul-saver; and Captain 150 doing business?

Uncomfortable party to travel with if one wishes to pass the time in idleness and the pleasing of one's amail mind.

Hot! phew! close! Hall badly tentilated! One hundred and sev-city-two Young People—lictening attentively to the Commissioner—all aftentively to the Commissioner—all day long Shadow wonders how he can keep on so long in such an atmosphere.

Forty through Registration Room esplendid work done—fishing fine, and whole day delightful!

Shadow hears a doleful voice on onadow nears a dolernt voice on monday morning accussing the Divi-sional Commander of giving a mem-ber of the party lumbago by open-lation the only window, through which gold wind streamed in.

Extra meeting put on for Monday sht. Shadow knew this would ppen directly he saw that Monmight was on the brief as a rest! res heard of the Commissioner

week-end. Mrs. Crichton more than kind, and both her and the Major made his stay most enjoyable.

Major Crichton and Staff Captain Major Crienton and Staff Captain Byers, of Halifax, consider the In-spection, which occupied the whole Monday, was of a very penetratof Monday, was of a very penetrating, elevating, elevating, seconding, stooding and inspiring, bridg and, at the first second representation of the second s the parting of the ways.

Again on the cafs. Brigadier Mor-ris is studiously reading "The Secret of the Lord" by Anna Shipton; Major Barr revels in the guests of a by-gone generation of writers; while others of the party look up the accounts of the Cabinet up the accounts of the Cantal course, pass sage, arm-chair criticisms on the same.

Sussex produced a very nice con-gregation in the United Baptist Church—wonderfully interested, and were advised by the gentleman who seconded the motion on a vote of thanks to put their hands deeper inthanks to put their hands deeper in-to pockets when The Army made special appeals. The Ministers pre-sent, which included the Minister of the Anglican Church, were charmingly friendly.

Numerous Delegates to the Young People's Day came from Wood-stock, St. Stephen, and Fredericton. Fine Life-Saving Guards and Scouts, also those who will speedily be such. Everybody liappy; in fact, boiling over with enthusiasm, and each has Delegate's Badge. Seventeen from a Desegate's Bauge. Seventeen from Fredericton; five from Woodstock, and five from St. Stephen.

The Woodstock Contingent enlivened the coach with singing— their voices blending harmoniously! A pleasurable thrill runs through the hadow's adumbrated form as he listens!

Shadow notices two pedestrians leaving the house of Mr. Carvell, M. P. for Woodstock, and carefully M. P. 10r woodstock, and carefully picking their way through many inches of mud. It is the Commis-sioner and Major Barr going to the Officers' Opariers, where Mrs. Cap-Squarebriggs, with her usual kind heart, prepares a splendid cup of tea, and Brigadier Morris and Captain Keith, who are staying here, also enjoy a cup.

Captain Squarebriggs is to be Captain Squarebriggs is to be congratulated on the magnificent crowd he secured for the meeting in Woodstock. The prayer of the Chief Secretary and the solos of Brigadier Secretary and the solos of Brigadier Morris and Captain Keith reach the high-water mark. The preliminaries -taken by Major Barr—were per-formed with due decorum and solemformed with due decorum and solutionity. The Commissioner, as usual, came up to time and struck thirteen, while the Shadow, with his usual modesty, took a back seat.

Brigadier Morris completed the Brigadier Morris completed the reading of "The Secret of the Lord" with, as he assured "the Commissioner, greet blessing and profit. Meanwhile Shadow observes the Chief Secretary Stationary readings the room of the Chief Secretary Stationary readings the Chief Secretary Stationary readings the Chief Secretary Stationary readings the Chief Secretary Stationary reading the Chief Secretary Secret

present to welcome; the highered Delegates and take them to Their billets. A very pretty sight this the home Young People welcoming the strangers. strangers.

The Divisional Commander of the conducted a special campaign at Sudbury, starting with an illustrated St. John Division is to be congratu-lated on the fact that he has strang-Suddity, starting with an illustrated lecture in the Methodist Charts (kindly loaned for the occasion) on "The Life of the Late General Wall ed for the three Corps of the city of St. John to send in a certain amount or. John to men in a certain amount for advertising persposes, adding a little more to it, so that the newspapers give information concerning the coming Sinday's meeting, and jets, etc., and thus the three Corps. Booth." A large and appreciative the coming Sunday's meeting, audicts, etc., and thus the three Corps are thoroughly advertised in the papers. When the Shadow heard this he felt like saying to others. Go thou and do likewise.

Tramp, tramp, frampl in through the front door, across the platform, and down to the centre of the Hall. Close on two hundred Delegates and at least one-third of them in Scott and Guard uniform. On they come, and Guard uniform. On they come, each batch bearing a card with the name of the fown thereon, whence he or she came. For further information Shadow advises looking up "The War Cry" report.

What a meeting it was -testi-monies, welcome speeches, solos, gifl brass instrumentalists, kazoo selection by Guards, and a pile of other

tion by Guarns, and a piece of other things too numerous to mention. Arrangements well-nigh perfec-tion! Morning session, from the opening song, was all blessing; the afternoon ditto. Night wonderful! At one time every person in the Hall and Registration Room seemed busy. No one to sing, so the Com-missioner and Chief Secretary render a duet of invitation, until Shadow was afraid something would break! Battle rages fiercely; call for help from the two singers; reinforcements appear, and a great shout of victory, with much hand-clapping, took place, when the eighty-seventh soul walked out to the Penitent-Form.

Major Barr's tongue loosened! There was a Niagara flow of elnquence as his heart, bursting with ratitude, opened the sluices, and he leclared that a great impetus had been given to the Young People of the East.

Inspection on Monday—close, analytical, and, as the Commissioner cometimes says, "Percolating," Going down to the bottom of things, and entering into the core or kernel and entering into the core or kernel, of the knotty problems, with the commissioner giving advice, encouragement, and inspiration, was the order. Statistics thoroughly examined; prospects for the future thoroughly oughly scrutinized; and, in fact, things forgotten brought under the

Shadow observes the Commis-sioner's party leaving St. John rail-way depot in good trim. Crowds of way depot in good trim. Crowds of Delegates catching their trains home. Party very talkative, but at last slumber and quilctude prevails. Morning—dismal news, train late, connections will not be made. Brigadier Moris' face a picture of loguiriosity, while the others try to assume a junuty air, but with little assume a jointy air, but with little success. Hope holds out, train may wait; but last glimmer dispelled as the party enter the Montreal depot.

The best must be made of the difficulty, and the time utilized to advantage; and so the party plunges into business immediately on arrival

his solo for the coming meeting.

All excitement at the St. John Depot! Scoute and Guards were securing money and promises for the company and promises for the company and promises for the company and promises for the securing money and promises for the Hamilton Science, were securing money and promises for the company of the company

CANADA WEST

We are delighted with the opportunity of assisting with the Christ-mas Cheer and Winter Rellet Effort. Keep,the Pot Boiling' is our motto in spite of the low temperature.

Things at Fort Rouge, the Cores on the "firing line," are on the up-grade. God is with us. Glory!

The Territorial Secretary paid us another visit recently. Just back-from far Northern Alberta. "The Government of the Thoughts" was the topic of his fecture.

Christmas "Cry" booming is going strong: everyone had done their share, which has resulted in victory:

If space would permit, many storits space would permit any effective ies could be told of the very effective God is visitation of the Cadets. plessing their efforts in this connection. [Space is yours; let us have these stories.—Ed.]

Our first examination took place recently. The Cadets as a whole have done excellent.

Our conception of the object and purpose of The Salvation Army Hade Department has certainly become more clear, since the visit of Staff-Saptain Tudge (the Trade Secretary) to our "Home," We shall now be able to give a "reason" in

Christmas Serenading is the order of the day, or, rather of the night. A trifle chilly, but those serenaded appreciate the efforts, which makes up any possible discomfort from "Jack Frost."

SALVATION SINGERS

Visit King Edward Memorial Hospital at Winnipeg.

One of the most interesting appointments of the Territorial Salappointments of the Territorial Salvation Singers was their recent visit on the King Edward Memorial Hospital. Winnings. The Singers paid their first visit to the Institution last winter, and received a cordial invitation to "come again." Miss M. Blackman (the Superintendent) and the Staff gave them a warm welcome on Munday evening. Dec. 4th, and, a very enjoyable and profitable even-

ing was spent.
The programme was rendered in one of the main corridors of the haspital, the patients, men, women. and children, who were strong enough to do so, sat around in groups. In order that those who were unable to leave their beds would be able to hear what took wards on each floor were opened to being in the immediate vicinity of the large elevator shaft, the musiof their singing was heart practical-

throughout the entire building. A number of visitors were present for the occasion, and they together with the patients, demonstrated their appreciation of the efforts of the Singers in the most hearty and encouraging manife

At the conclusion light refreshment was provided them ere they took their departure. Praise God for such an opportunity to scatter cheer and blessing among those whose lot finds them for the present within the walls of this worthy institution!

During the past twelve months 5,284 persons were given free treat-Chicago (U. A. S.) No. 188 and 18

ROUGHINGIAT

SOME EXPERIENCES OF A SALVATION ARMY LASSIE-IN THE CAMPS OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

been engaged in the work for a num years. Landing at midnight in out-of-the-way places, boarding trains and boats at all hours of the night, very often travelling under ereat difficulty, and sleeping in lone-



Captain A. Nelson

ly, isolated spots far from civilization, has niade her life as an Officer one of continued self-denial.

Recorded below will be found par-Recorded below will be found par-ticulars of a few of the experiences referred to. The Captain revels in-her particular work and praises God for what He has cnabled her to accomplish by His grace. We regret she is at present on a siek furlough, having recently mideroons an onerahaving recently undergone an opera-tion. Pray that the Captain will

tion. Fray that the Captain will soon be restored. Regarding her work, she writes as follows: "My work for a number of years as an Officer has been that of securing funds for the general maintenance of The Salvation Army Canada. It has taken me 'far from the madding crowd, for my labours have been among the men who make the lumber and mining camps of British Columbia their home.

"Although on the exterior these men, who, by the way, are of all na-tionalities—Japanese, Swedes, Bri-tishers, Chinese, Canadians, etc., etc. -yet their hearts are in the right yet their hearts are in the right nlaces, and practically, without ex-ception, all have a good word for The Army, give liberally of their carnings to its support, and have the highest respect for the wearers of the 'Hallelujah Bonnet.'

"I have learned to love these men I 'the wild,' situated as they are far from their homes and dear ones; and God has helped me time and times again to be of service to them. I look back with unspeakable joy to the occasions when I have been able to speak a word in season for my Master, and to the times when I have heen the instrument in his hands to lead them to the Light.

"One Officer's work differs from another in the great, world-wide Army and only occasionally do we get glimpses of the character and nature of it:
"Many times I have been sur-

"Many times I have been sur-prised, interested, cheered, and in-spired by man I have read of what some for a realled upon to do in order to accomplish their work. Thinking that possibly a riew of my personal experiences will have the

September 1

TOURS THE ALBERTA DIVI-

Amelia Nelson among the harmonia the pass on the following Leaves From hiters and logstword British Columbia are intensity in the columbia and for a superior in the columbia are columbia.

Salmo, audicin arriving there took horse stage ten miles to Queen's Mines. Next morning, walking over the mountains, climbing thirty-two switches, arriving 'at camp about noon. Here I was kindly treated to noon. Here I was kindly treated to lunch, and, after getting through with my collecting, the cook, taking his rifle, accompanied me part of the way to show me the trail, which was scarcely visible—the mountains being so rough and wild all the way to the next camp, about three miles

"Not being able to appeal to the men for funds till after tea, I spent the time looking through the mill.

"The foreman showed me the gold in process of refining; I did not see it in its first stages, but in lumps which resembled large silver halls, after which it passed through another fire before coming out as pure gold. When completed it was made into pieces about the size of a brick stone, valued at about eight thousand dollars apiece. This reminded me of the fiery trial of the Christian. out of which we come as pure gold. "It was about seven o'clock in the

evening when I left the camp, having four miles to walk to find a place to-sleep. This was in the fall of the year, when darkness sets in early.

"The descent of the mountain was very steep, water pouring down the trail, and only for the help of the tually got there, minus both heels of boots. The residents of Salmo my boots. The residents of Salmo treated me most kindly and gave liberally of their 'basket and store. Return: to Nelson for Sunday. "When in Three Valley, B.C., I

sever had to go up the mountain miles to get to a camp. After interviewing men; who were glad to see a Salvationist, I started off down the mountain toward the valley, just as it was beginning to get dark. Acting on the advice given me at the camp. I took the trail, as it was a shorter way than the railroad track, (Concluded on Page 15)

Captain Nelson on a car,

starting on a visit to a mine

The time of the second second

Opens New Halls at Peace River and Camrose. On Thursday evening, Nov. 30th, Mr. H. Greenfield kindly motored Lieut-Colonel Turner (the Terri-torins Secretary) and Major Hay (the Divisional Commander) four

Lieut. Colonel Turner

STON

niles out to the depot at Edmonton, mucs out to the depot at Edmonton, whence they left for the Colonel's first visit to Peace River, a distance of three hundred and eleven miles We were met by Captain Thompson; soon fixed up comiortably at the Hotel Peace, and, after calling the Hotel Peace, and, arter caning upon Mrs. Thompson, who was re-joicing over the arrival of another little girl, we tendered our services

to the Captain to help get the new to the Captain to help get the new Hall in shape for the opening on the following Sunday, Had you been present you would have seen Colonel Turner husy laying the floor, while Turner husy laying the floor, while the Major cut the boards to the-right length. Did the Colonel hit his fingers? Oh, well I must not say; but I will make it plain that the boards went down, and the Cap-

the noarus went down, and the Cap-tain gave the visitors credit of do-ing a good job.

The evening was spent in giving a lamen service at West Peace River, where the Colonel spoke on The Salvation Army and the Great War. Saturday was spent in carpentering at the new Hail. On Sunday morning the Colonel preached in the schoolhouse at West Peace River.

In the afternoon the Colonel opened the new Hall The largest crowd came at high, and two sisters came forward for Salvation.

on Monday a lantern service was given, and the Colonel delivered a very interesting account of our work amongst the belligerent armies. The same was appreciated by a full-

same was approximately the Royal-North-West Mounted Police new-barracks and were kindly entertained by Inspector Fields and his Ser-greent-Major, who took us over the new buildings. These bare men as spleadid asset in this new accounts their district extending to country, their district extending to the Arctic Circle. Major McDonnell. is in charge of the entire northern district, and has shown himself capable man.

Lethbridge Our next appointment was Lethbridge, some (3) miles away. Here we were greeted by Mrs. Ensign Muttarr, who informed as that she had la crippe, and that the Ensign was kid up with an injured leg. God: bless and speedily restore them both is our prayer! Will all our comrades remember them at the Throne of Grace?
Dinner was supplied by our old

Dinner was supplied by our old comrade Sister Barrett, now Mrs. Beaumont. We were also invited to make a visit to the Home League, and here we found Sergeant Mrs. Dawson and her brave sisters busy sewing all kinds of things. We were invited to take ten with them, to which the Colonel gladly consented, The night meeting was a splendid, cheerful time, and we believe that the Lethbridge contrades are in for a good winter of soul-saving.

Coleman

Next morning found us bound for Coleman. We were met by Captain Acton and Lieutenant T. Mundy. These comrades, under the guid-ance of Brother E. McArthur, the ance of Brother L. McArthur, the carpentee are busy with the crection of a new Hall and Quarters—just over seven hundred dollars has been

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Mr. but this was a grand meeting!

expressed their surprise at the great things accomplished by the Founda of The Salvation Army. of The Salvation Army.
All day Sunday the Divisional Commander was on the bridge, and ducting evangelistic meetings, as which good crowds attended. The inght service was very successful the Divisional Commander's singing and convincing address brought co viction to many, and ere the close two backsliders were restored:

DIVISIONAL COMMANDE

On Dec. 2nd-3rd Brigadier Allien

Os Lengthy Tour - Large Gas Much Interest Displayed

Four days were spent at Sault Ste. Marie, and, in addition to conduct ing private meetings, inspections, etc. the Brigadier was able to crowd a special lecture with the comin a special secture with the com-rades on the American side. A large crowd attended the same, as the Of-ficers had made it widely known. This visit was much appreciated by the Officers and Soldiery.

Tire three special meetings on the The three special meetings of the Canadian side were productive of much blessing and encouragement. The state of the state tive counsel.

The remainder of the campaign was crowned with success, consider-ing that amidst such troubles as lights going out and an extremely cold, wave being prevalent, large numbers wave being prevalent, large human a turned out at each meeting, and a spiritual appetite was created, which, we trust, will spread around the city, and, as the outcome, souls will be won for God and His people become more enthusiastic for the cause of Jesus Christ.

The last place to be visited on the The last place to be visited in take tour was Parry Sound, where a good crowd gathered on Saturday night to hear the lecture on "The Life of the Late General."

Slides and the comments made will have a lasting increasing on the have a lasting impression on the

congregation. In the Holiness meeting on Sunday morning much of God's Split was present, and the Soldiers drank in the Divisional Commander's inspiring words.

At night the hearty singing, the At hight the hearty singing, the carnestness displayed by the Officers and Soldiers; the sweet singing of the Brigadier, coupled with his powers. erful appeal to the unsaved, were factors used by the Holy Ghost to factors used by the Holy Gross to bring conviction to the unsaved, and when the Fountain was thrown open when the Fountain for foreigness of when the rountain was thrown of three souls claimed forgiveness sins. Captain Johnstone and Li sins. Captain Johnstone and Lieu-tenant Kere are the Officers in charge, and are doing a good work.

INTERESTING LECTURE

Major and Mrs. Coombs visited Yorkton on Dec. 4th, and gave, in the Baptist Church, an illustrated lecture on The Salvation Army and the Dayler on The Salvation Arms had the War." After the p stores had been thrown on the sheet Mr. Coombs gave a convincing address the store of the

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AND SPIRITUAL

Rarely has the home of the Mother of Parliaments witnessed a gathering of more historic importance than when Mr. Lloyd George addressed the members for the first time in his capacity as Prime Minister; but the great outstanding fcature of this session to us was his clarion call and ringing demand for service from the nation in this her hour of peril and anxiety-"The nation is fighting for her life and is entitled to the best service of all citizens!" he deelared so a Director of National Service is to be appointed, who will be in charge of the matter ed hour of arrival. Naturally, the Commissioner and his travelling of universal national service. The companion do not raise any serious military director will be responsible for recruiting for the army, and the objections to this delay. civil director will be responsible for providing workers for the indispens-

The welfare of the nation is the only consideration, and if a man capacity than a military capacity, he will be withdrawn from the army, and vice-versa: The whole of the industries of Great Britain are to be classified as essential or non-essential from the latter will be drawn men both for the civil and military essential services as the need requires This is to be service in Great Britain during war conditions, and we

responding nobly.
Can The Salvation Army not learn a lesson from this practical idea of service? We think there are two ideas to be deduced, which would be of immense benefit to our Orga-nization, if acted upon; they are:—

1. Everybody must serve.

able industries.

2. Everybody must serve in that capacity in which his or her service will be of the greatest value to the nation.

Elsewhere in this issue are the reports of the "Young Pcople" ys" down East-they make splendid reading. And we see that at St. John eighty-seven Young People consecrated themselves to God. We hope every one had a clear idea that their consecration was for service for the Kingdom of God. The real-ity of their consecration will be judged by the measure of their service, and we hope that the Corps' Officers and Young People's Workers will make clear to them this phase of spiritual life. These Young People should at once have pointed out to them that they should be-come Corps Cadets, Candidates, Life-Saying Scouts or Guards, or Workers in the primary classes.

In the national service of the Empire, as we have mentioned, there are in civil life two services—disspensable and indispensable. We commend this idea to our adult workers, Bandsmen, Songster Leadshould ask themselves, "Is my work, highly valuable though it be, dispensable or indispensable?" We think that all will agree that the work among the children is of the latter character-is essential to the well-being of humanity to the Kingdom of God, and to The Salvation of service in which your gifts and beaming countenances of all present graces can be utilized to the best were a great inspiration to the Comdenates for God and The Army.

WAR CRY COMMISSIONER SOWTON PERSONALIA

VISITS ALASKA AND CONDUCTS INTERESTING MEETINGS AT WRANGELL

turns his steps to the North. with Wrangell as his destination, where he was announced to conduct a special series of Councils and public meetings with Staff-Captain and Mrs. R. Smith and the native workers from the District of South-Eastern Alaska, of which the Staff-Captain has the oversight. We boarded the palatial "Prince Rupert" of the G.T.P. Line, due to sail at twelve o'clock on Saturday until 4.30 p.m., but this is really a blessing in disguise as it means we will not reach our destination until six or seven on Sunday morning—a more reasonable rising hour, instead of two o'clock, which is the schedul-

THE Prince Rupert visit

Wrangell is reached in due course. and on the wharf, by the aid of the ship's lights, could be seen Staff-Captain Smith and some of his comrades, all cager to grasp the hand of their Leader, and to assure him of their welcome, and to assist with

We were now seated at the table of the hospitable Smith family, Mrs. Smith and the children greeting us warmly on our arrival at the house.

Our readers will, in a small measure, appreciate the feelings of the Staff-Captain and his dear wife at having the Commissioner visit them in their home, when it is remembered that they have been labouring mongst the natives in this district amongst the natives in this district for thirteen years, and in this time the visits of "Specials" have been few and far between. Mrs. Smith-had not been present at an Officers' Council for fifteen years, until a few weeks ago, when she visited

Vancouver. Our Leader visited Wrangell last year, as well, in fact, it is his intention to visit this part annually,

Perhaps a word or two with re-gard to Wrangell Town itself will not he out of place at this point. It is situated at the mouth of the Stikine River, and is one of the oldest settlements in the whole Alaskan region, its history dating back over one hundred years. It is called after Baron Wrangell of Russia, which latter country formerly owned Alaska, and it was then known as Russian America. In 1867 the United States purchased it for \$7,000,000, and it was re-named Alaska, which and it was re-named Alasks, which was the title by which the natives described if, and which translated means "The Real Mainland." It is a most interesting spot, as there are still to be found here and there some relics of its early days.

Alaska has experienced a very unfavourable season, so far as the weather is concerned, and this prevented many of the comrades at the most distant points from being present at the Commissioner's meetings, but a the Commissioners meetings, but a nice crowd gathered from several of the Corps—some travelling as far as one hundred and fifty miles by motar boat in order to be present.

The first service was held on Sun-day morning, which was preceded by a march on the main street. Staff-Captain Smith, in a neat little welcome speech expressed the feelings of himself and those present. The beaming countenances of all present address. It was a beautiful sight to watch the expression on each one's water the expression on tacin one a face as the message was drunk in. The Commissioner was not able to go at his usual speed, as it was ne-cessary for his address to be inter-preted. Three souls came to the Mercy Seat at the close of this

Meetings were conducted Sunday afternoon, and night, and also on Monday afternoon and Tuesday morning. At various intervals in the meetings, the Commissioner would call for a native comrade to lead some testimonies, and here you saw these comrades in their happiest saw these comrades in their napplest moment. If you want to see that In-definable thing—The Army Spirit— in evidence, visit a native Alaskan Corps, when a testimony meeting is in progress. They put many of our white Corps to shame in the matter of liberty, leadership, and choice of songs, etc. It was an inspiration to see and hear them.

The Commissioner taught them a number of new charites and they had their note-books out at once, writing them down. They had come up to the Councils to take advantage of the opportunity to get help. One comrade said: "Fire won't birn without fixing," and he had come up to get his, "fire fixed up." The Commissioner's addresses were deep and full of thought, but were delivered in such simplicity that they at once were very practical. A number were at the Penitent Form during the meetings for Salvation and purity.

On Monday night the Commissioner was announced to speak in a special Hall on "Experiences of Salvation Army Warfare in Many Lands." A good crowd was present and the meeting was a distinct sucthe Anglican Church, presided, and, after warmly welcoming the Commissioner, spoke most eulogistically of The Army and its Work.

The Commissioner spoke for over an hour, and his address was fre-quently and liherally applauded-many coming to the front at the clo e to express their appreciation of the address.

One of the most interesting individuals present was a Sergeant who was the means of commencing The Salvation Army Work in this par-ticular part of Alaska. Twenty years or o ago, before he got converted, he was implicated in some crime which resulted in him being sent to San Quentin Penitentiary, Califor-nia. He landed there on a Saturday, and on the Sunday the late Consul Booth-Tucker conducted a service for the inmates of this institution, This comrade got saved in this ser-vice, and was truly transformed. He was a "trusty," and was pardoned to his home shortly afterwards with his Salvation Army Badge on, His friends in his village thought he was mediately destroyed all the drink which they had in their homes, because they feared he would arrest them. But, no, he said, "I am a Mar-

He at once set about to publish the good news of the glorious Gospel, and although he met with bitter opposition, he soon won out, and a great revival was snon in evidence. The work has gone on in his village, now for all these years a good Corps of Seniors and Juniors is to be found there.—G. W. P.

INTERNATIONAL

The General was accorded at The General was accopied as affectionate welcome upon the occasion of his week-end visit to rised dersheld, Yorkshire, The Palace Theatre was the scene of the after neon and evening's gatherings, and splendid crowds were attracted Sixty-seven souls sought Christ.

The General and Mrs. Booth, in the St. George's Hall at Liverpool, conducted recently an impressive fallen in the war. These number tricts specially represented at this memorial gathering.

Mrs. Booth's week-end campaigs was at historic Norland Castle.
Crowds were turned away for want of room, and there were fifty-three seekers

In view of the rapid increase of The Army's Work in India, and the opportunities for extending Social schemes, The General has decided to send Commissioner Mitchell to consider the larger proposals which are now before him

Commissioner Hodder, of New Zealand, recently conducted a Commissioning of Cadets at Wellington.
In addition to those receiving commissions, nincteen had previously been sent to Corps, bringing the total of newly-commissioner Office ers to thirty-three.

Commissioner Mrs. Booth-Hellberg, of Denmark, recently opened a new Hall, which has been crected by our people in Ircdericia. His Worship the Mayor, who was present at the opening, spoke of his great belief in the work done by The Salvation Army.

The British Commissioner (Hig-Holiness Meeting at Hammersmith, Twenty-four came to the Mercy

Colonel McIntyre, of New York, arranged for the Annual Boozers Day to be held in the Memorial Hall on Thanksgiving Day. Not less than one thousand of each of the audi-ences were boozers. Two hundred came forward during the day.

To the list of names of Salvation ist parents whose sons have been wounded must now be added that of Colonel Unsworth, both of whose boys are named in recent casualty lists. Lieut.-Colonel Jesu Das (Hipsev), too, has a son wounded.

The eldest son of Mrs. Railton and the late Commissioner, who is serv-ing with the British Forces as a Chaplain, has been awarded the Military Cross.

Mrs. Major McLeod, Secretary of the Women's Social Work of The Salvation Army for South Australia, has been appointed a Justice of the Peace for the City of Adelaide.

TERRITORIAL

CANADA WEST

The Commissioner has returned from his special campaign in British Columbia and Alaska. He reached Winnipeg on Thursday, Dec. 14th. Commissioner and Mrs. Sowies presided over the opening services of the new wing of the Men's Social Institution on Fountain Street, Fri-

day, Dec. 15th. On Christmas morning Comm oner and Mrs. Sowton will conduct a special service at the Citadel They

ill also conduct a United Watch night Service.

The Special Salvation Campaign

COMMISSIONER RICHARDS could put bis singer on many who have been changed in character by attending The Army's meetings and coming in touch with 600. to be launched by the Commissioner at Winnipeg I. Citadel on Sunday, Jan. 7th, is being looked forward to

with great antecipation.

The Territorial Secretary will take charge of the Campaign on Thursday, Jan. 11th. It will be brought to a conclusion on Sunday, OPENS RE-MODELLED HALL AT BRAMPTON - PRESENTS CHAMPIONSHIP BANNER-PROMINENT CITIZENS EULOGIZE THE SALVATION ARMY

MMEDIATELY oue entered Brampton on Saturday, Dec. 16th, it was realized that Salvationists. and friends were expecting a

. Mayor Milner

The Territorial Staff Band, through

the kindness of several prominen

ladies of the town, were entertained at a tea in the Citadel, after which

they marched to the station, and, on the arrival of the Commissioner and

Chief Secretary, played them down to the Citadel, where a short dedica-

building ready for use, and handed the Commissioner the key. The Commissioner gave a short address,

referring to the purpose for which the Citadel had been remodelled, and then, in the name of the Trinity,

he inserted the key into the lock and

The Citadel's interior presents a

very attractive sight, with its ceiling

neat and adequate electric lights.

There is a spacious platform and the

accommounte three hundred persons.. By means of the sliding par-tition referred to, the Hall can be

had warmed bis heart.

to render a short musical pro-gramme, and the skilful manner in

which the Band and Male Choir

rendered the variety of numbers, under Bandmaster (Captain) Beer's

Brigadier Miller declared

tory service was held.

conducted the opening service of the new Halls erected at Peace River and Camrose, Alberta. We regret to learn that Mrs. Licut.-Colonel Turner's sister's husband recently passed away. It is particularly sad because of the fact that one of her sister's daughters is at present in hospital, having undergone an operation.

Lient -Colonel Turner recently

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ith great anticipation.

We are glad to report that Staff-Captain Sims, who recently under-went an operation of the knee, is progressing favourably.

Ension and Mrs. Merritt, of Victoria, B.C., and Ensign and Mrs. Jackson, of Glen Vowell, Alaska. have been promoted to the rank of

Adjutant. Congratulations!
There is considerable sickness
among the Officers throughout the
Territory. Among them heing Ensign Rickells, Emaga Mrs. Mustart,
Captain A. Sowton, also Brother
Chas. Sowton, of Perritorial Headquarters. Pray for the recovery of
all our dear comrades who are laid

Ensign Carter led on at Winnipeg II. en Sunday, Dec. 10th.

A property, consisting of a Hall and Quarters, very suitable for Army purposes, has been acquired at Humboldt, Sask. modelled Citadel, but enriched by a special visitation of the Holy Ghost,

As we go to press, the Winter Relief and Christmas Cheer appeal at Winnipeg is in full swing; and, despite the many calls the public have had of late, they are responding liberally. The familiar "Pot" will he on the street corner, Saturday, Dec. 16th.

Captain Anna Sowton, of Terri-torial Headquarters, conducted the meetings at Winnipeg III. on Sun-day, Dec. 10th.

A Special Young People's Camnaign will be carried on throughout the Territory during the months of January and February. Further announcements later.

The Winnipeg I. Young People's Band recently supplied the music at threw open the door, welcoming all people to worship within its walls. special service conducted by Adiutant Carter. of Georgian pine, its pannelled, slid-ing partition, its carpeted aisles, and

As a a result of their recent visit to the Stony Mountain Penitentiary, the Territorial Salvation Singers bave been requested by the Warden to render a special programme to the prisoners on New Year's Day. Lieut. Colonel Turner will preside on the oceasion.

CANADA EAST

The Commissioner has a heavy programme for January, including a series of Young People's Councils and Soldiers' meetings and the opening of a Holiness Campaign.

On each Sunday of the month he will conduct Young People's Councils at Toronto, Montreal, Hamilton, and Peterhoro, respectively. He will meet the Soldiers of four

Corps, as follows: Brantford, Jan. 4th: Hamilton L., Jan. 11th; St. Catharines, Jan. 16th; and Galt, Jan. 25th

The Central Holiness meetings for the Training College Division are to be re-commenced in January, and the opening service will be held and the opening service will, be held at Parliament Street Citadel on Fri-day, Jan. 5th. The Commissioner will conduct this and will be assisted by Mrs. Richards, Colonel McMil-lan, Brigadier and Mrs. Bell. and the

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baton, went far toward proving their ability as a musical combination.

Brigadier Miller was called upon by the Chief Secretary to read the campaign, not only memorable financial statement. He informed those present that the liability by the presence of Commissioner Richards and the opening of the reagainst the Corps on the old buildtalled \$2,748; but, he was pleased to state that \$1,750 had been donated, state that \$1.750 had been donated, including \$250 from the Commissioner, \$300 from the Property Department, and \$100 from the Divisional Commander. Brigadier Adby.

The Commissioner presented the Young People's Corps with the Championship Banner, and, to the delight of all present, mentioned that in 1915 the Brampton Young People raised eleven dollars, and in 1916, \$205; a wonderful increase, in-deed. The Commissioner gave a most interesting and appropriate discourse on doors, which was listened to with rapt attention.

A vote of thanks to the Mayor was proposed by C. D. Gordon, Esq. (Manager of the Dominion Bank), who also thanked the Commissioner for his wonderful address, and expressed a wish that many souls would seek God in the re-modelled Hall. Rev. Mr. Fromow (Baptist) ably seconded the vote, and congratulated The Salvation Army on its aggressiveness and devoted workers.

The vote of thanks, at the request of Colonel McMillan, was unanimously carried

From the start of the Holiness meeting, an atmosphere of religious fervour was very evident. Major Windeyer, with the officers and men of A Company of the 234th Batta-lion, were present. The Staff Band played a selection, after which the Commissioner congratulated the comrades on their new Hall, and thanked the warriors for years of faithfulness.

A solo from Brigadier Adby and then the Commissioner delivered a message from God, which was attentively listened to. It was a powerful appeal, and the entire congrega-

After the Chief Secretary had led the preliminaries in the afternoon meeting, Brigadier Adby, in a few, well-chosen words, introduced the Chairman, R. Blain, Esq., M.P., chairman, K. Biain, Lang, and a striking tribute to The Salva-tion Army. He recalled the early days of The Army in Brampton and



R. Blain, Esq., M.P.

"The re-modelled . Citadel," said he, "is the outcome of life and energy, and stands as a monunient to those who are devoted to the cause of helping others." The Salvation Army has a foremost place in the world, and has rendered great services to Christianity and civilization, and he wished the Organiza-tion God's blessing, as they are do-ing a splendid work, with good

In a congenial atmosphere, the Commissioner gave a striking lec-ture on "The Social and Missionary Work of The Army." The various agencies in action was an eye-opener to many, and an apt expression of the lecture was described by one who said, after the meeting, "I never, knew The Salvation Army was doing so thorough a work, and no one could tell it better than Commissioner Richards!" Mr. T. B. Coombs proposed

vote of thanks to the Chairman, and in addition to thanking the Comminded those present that Brampton Corps had forty Soldiers fighting for King and country, which statement was received with loud applause.

Rev. Mr. Paul (Methodist) seconded the vote of thanks in art efficient manner, and also recorded his pleasure at heing able to listen to such astonishing facts and in-spiring words from the Commissioner

All agreed that it was a successful gathering and full of mighty influ-ences for good. Canon Walsh closed the meeting in prayer

The night meeting was full of inspiration, and, from the singing of "O Boundless Salvation," lined out by the Chief Secretary, until the close, a deep, spiritual atmosphere filled the House of God. The con-gregation sang heartily; the Staff Band and Male Choir assisted with well-rendered selections, and the Commissioner's address, full of pointed illustration and convincing uths, hurned its way into the hearts

of the ungodly. As the people viewed, by word-pictures, the Master's wonderful power to save, His earnestness in seeking the lost, and the care of all people's sins resting on His heart, conviction was stamped on the faces of many; and soon a young man in khaki was kneeling at the Cross, to be followed by four Young People who were eager to know of the Saviour's ability to save and keep.

On behalf of the Officers (Captain and Mrs. Cooksey), who had every-thing working in first-class style, Mr. T. B. Coombs, when thanking the Commissioner for his labour and interest, expressed a wish that the influence of the day's meetings would be far-reaching and fruitful, to which all celocd a fervent 'Amen !

In addition to the Chief Secretary, Brigadiers Adby and Miller, Majora ore and McAmmond, and the Staff Band assisted throughout the cannaign.

Now Brampton has such a beautiful Citadel, may the Holy Ghost make all who enter into worship powerful Christians in the service of

The Flag of The Salvation Army has been unfurled in the quaint old. Southern city of St. Augustine, Fla. It is claimed that this is the oldest city in North America, even antedating Plymouth, Mass., and James town, Va.

many homes.

TWENTY ONE MEMBERS

Captain and Mrs. Taling, of Truro,

on Dec. 4th, inaugurated the Hom

on Dec. 4th, inaugurated the stome League, and a nice crowd assembled for the opening meeting. Mrs. Cap-tain Laing outlined to those present

tain Laing outlined to those present the aims and objects of the Home League, and, judging from the in-letest that was shown, every one seemed sympathetic with the objects.

Appreciated by the Congregation

On Monday, Dec. 4th, the Dart-menth Corps went to Halifax I. Corps to hear Commissioner Rich-ards (says J. T. W.). The Commis-

signer, who was accompanied by a

devil smarted under his sledge-

Free-and-casy meeting in the after-noon. At night Brother Bates gave

his life story to an appreciative

OFFICERS UNITE

Eight Life-Saving Guards Enrolled

Last Thursday at Westville we

had with us the Rev. Mr. McAdam (the Church of England Minister).

who gave us a very stirring address

God is prospering our work here, and we are going in for a harvest of souls this winter.

HOME LEAGUE

carried on under that name until

about nine months ago, when it was

re-organized under the name of the

Home League.
There are at present about forty

ague here is the number of outsisters reached and their chil-

dren brought into the Sunday School.-K. W. Ritchie, Adjutant.

A large palace has been secured a new Industrial Home in Cal-

prominent Army Officers,

Many Attacks Made on Sin's Stronghold Fresh Troops Join in the Fight

TIME OF PRAISE

We are still making advances in Camrose. On Sunday, Dec. 3rd, the services were an inspiration to all present, taking the form of praise

that we held forth in our old Hall, Those who had been converted in the same were given an opportunity blessings they had received. In this Hall we have witnessed the conversion of thirty-four souls. Many have i necessity left us for other parts of the continent, but we are able to en have been enrolled as Salvation

the Holiness meeting three of our latest recruits were enrolledrendered a solo in her own anguage

A PROFITABLE DAY

Large Crowds and Good Results

who has removed to Toronto. Her work has been appreciated by the For the week-end (Dec. 9th-10th) it Whitney Pier we had with us Corps Cadets, and her place will be hard to fill. We are pleased to reof Halifax. Saturday night the Divi-sional Commander met a number of the Soldiers and friends in connecport a change for the better in the condition of our Young People's Sergeaut-Major's health.-C. C. tion with the new building which to be erected in the spring.

Stinday was a day of victory and literating. From the 9 a.m. prayer. meeting God's Presence was felt. to with eager attention, and the En voys singing much enjoyed. The good singing, earnest addresses. Results of meetings-five young menand seven Young People knelt at the Major dedicated the infant son of Ensign and Mrs. Gillingham;

MILITARY OFFICER

Speaks of Good Work Accomplished

Last week-end meetings at Lind-Moore, and were seasons of great Messing. On Sunday afternoon she od the Home League by a special address which was listened to by a nice audience mostly wo-mes. Captain Jordan (a military officer) presided; and spoke highly of Be work The Salvation Army is doig in helping the soldiers. Sister. The Char. Lindsay (Secretary) and star Mrs. Cross (Treasurer) are he Officers of the Home League, At night Mrs. Moore spoke very rneatly on "God." After the close

trender of himself to God, which SWEAT INTEREST PREVAILS

Bor the week ending Dec. 8th two sels sought Salvation at Bridge terest brevain. Crouse

MANY SPECIALS

Nov. 26th; was very much enjoyed.

The Cantain spoke to the Inniors at

tion meeting closed with five seekers.

ings were held all day, with souls

Sunday School was opened at 2:30 p.m. at the north end of the town,

We are sorry to lose our Corps Cadet Guardian, Sister Mrs. Weir,

NINE ENROLLED

Corps Cadet Brigade Leads On

On Thursday night another spe-

were sworn in as Soldiers un-

cial meeting took place at London I. (says A. G. A.), when nine com-

der The Army Flag. It certainly was a beautiful sight and caused us

The Thursday night meetings are

now to be run by the departments of the Corps, and on this particular

Thursday the Corps Cade, were in

PIVE AT THE CROSS

Envoy Neill conducted meetings

at Winnipeg V. on Sunday, Dec. 3rd. At the Holiness-meeting he ex-

pounded, in a most simple manner

an air example.

the beauty of Holiness; using Isalah

Then at the Salvation meeting we

had with us Mrs. Brigadier Taylor.

who favoured us with a solo. The

Envoy spoke very forcibly to the sinners, showing them they must come to God; using for his subject

Naaman's leprosy. In the prayer meeting five precious souls found

their way to the Mercy Seat .- C. P.

TWO SURRENDER

Oir Sunday, Dec. 3rd; at Norland

are it to sail the let the service of the properties of the proper

charge, assisted by Mrs. Layman,

all to think of the past.

with twenty-four in attendance.

On Sunday, Dec. 2nd, good meet-

Three Enrolled Under the Plag Young People's Work Improving Home League Started-Nine Souls Attracts Large Crowds-Ciergonas

On Wednesday, Nov. 2211, the sisters of the Helping-Hand League of Ottawa II Gorpis held a Sale of history of Listowel Corps (says C. use and language of the Sale of the Helping Hand League of Hand Corps (Says C. L.) was led by Adjutant and for the occasion; and a substantial for t Lantain and Mrs. Laine, of Truro. who have been furlaughing at Mrs. Laing's home, were with us on Sunday: Nov. 19th, at Belleville, Arnight a memorial service was held for Sister Mrs. Logan's son Robert. who has been killed in action. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved hard to make the sale a success; and ! meetings. mother, who has two other sons at are much encouraged as the result. Captain Mapp's visit on Suuday.

with a few appropriate remarks; On Saturday and Sanday, Dec. 2nd-3rd, Brigadier and Mrs. More-hen were again with us. We had a the close of the Company Meeting, and explained the Life-Saving Guard Movement. At night a good Salvagood time all the way through, for which we give God the glory. On Sunday God's Spirit was with us. Christ,

On Monday afternoon Mrs. More- city

SPIRITUAL TIMES

Mrs. Adjutant Kendall Gives an

Sunday, Dec. 3rd, at Picton (says W. B.) was a soul-refreshing time. Mrs. Adjutant Kendall was in charge of the meeting at night. Her message was backed home by the Spirit of God, and we closed with five souls at the Mercy Seat.

Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 9th-10th, Envoy Ruston and Sergeant-Major Hart, of Belleville, were with us, and conducted the weeksend convices. In the Holiness meeting the Envoy spoke with power, enforcing very strongly the need for a willing consecration to God's service. The meetings all day were a means of blessing to those who attended.

SOLDIERS' MEETINGS:

The week-end services in the Well Attended Times of Blessing Theatre were times of

> Signs of blessing are not wanting at Ottawa I. (says J. II, W.), for which we praise God. Attendance is increasing and interest is growing. This is especially noticeable at the Soldiers' meetings, where many have received blessing. Captain Crockett, although on furiough, has helped greatly with her singing, which brought cheer to many. The work at the Metropole and prison is also encouraging.

The Band, under Bandmaster Harris, is doing nobly, and, in spite depletion through enlistments. gives some fine music. Great preparations are under way for Christmas comforts for the poor.

ROUSING TIMES

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Committee in the Same

INTEREST. PREVAILS

One Similar Dec. 3 frier 1 Notated Services and Se

SUCCESSFUL SALE TO IN INDIAN COSTUME

The Holiness meeting was a time of great inspiration. The Adjutant spoke on "The Abundant Life." A special missionary service was held at 3 p.m., which proved a delight to all present. Both Adjutant and Mrs. Tyndall gave stirring addresses in the night meeting.

Monday night, although wet, and the Hydro lights off in town, the Hall was packed to its utmost capa-city with townspeople to hear and hen organized the Home League is see the special Indian Demonstra-our Corps, and no doubt before long. tion, in which five local comrades they shall be heard from assisted, dressed in special com-tunes supplied by the visitors. The programme was a varied one and intenselt interesting. The Rev. Mer. Milyard, of the Methodist Church, ably presided. Captain Martin, of nerston, was present and also assisted.

SPECIAL INTEREST

Manifested in Men's Social Work

A suitable Hall for public meetings has recently been arranged on at Hamilton (says W. H. B.), and special meetings have been con-ducted by the Hamilton League of Mercy, Hamilton I. Silver Band, and the Songster Brigade of Hamilton III. Corps, which has created much interest in the evangelical side of the Men's Social Work.

Our meeting on Monday last, conducted by the Songster Leader, Brother Jackson, resulted in two men seeking Salvation. We are befrom time to time in this new Hall.

DIVISIONAL COMMANDER ::

Give Interesting Illustrated Lecture

We are still advancing at Hum-boldt, under the leadership of Cap-tain Parsons. Over forty people attended our meeting last Sunday, which is excellent.

On a recent Thursday Major and Mrs. Coombs visited us. The Divisional Commander gave an illustrated lecture on "The Salvation Army interesting, and, at the close, three souls came to the Mercy Seat.

FLAG STILL FLYING

Charles Line Bear Cal.

SERVANCES OF ALL

Setured at Instiguent Meeting of Good Results Attend Systematic

The Lansdowne (Toronto) Corps has welcomed Ensign Holland as its new leader, and she is rapidly winning her way into the hearts of the people. As a result of energetic and systematic visitation, many friends are being made for The Army, and the attendances at the meetings are showing a decided increase,

set forth. Sergeant-Major Mrs. Wherever there is sortow or dis-Chapman contributed a solo.

At the close of this successful gathering twenty-one members were tress, the Ensign and her assistant, Lieutenant Johnston, are promotly on hand to offer sympathy and heln. secured, each paying their first con-eribution. Tea and cake was served. Some recent happenings will show the varied nature of these calls. At which was greatly appreciated. It one place the Ensign found that a one place the Ensign found that a little baby had just died. The mother was very ill in bed and un-able to do anything, so the Ensign laid out the little body and helped to meet every Monday afternoon, and we are believing that the League will mean increasing happiness to in other ways, her knowledge as a trained nurse coming in very useful. She also conducted the funeral LIFE'S STORY

> A few days later she called at a liouse where all the occupants had been overcome by gas from the furnace. The mother had to be taken to the hospital, and the Ensign visitwith her. Last Sunday the eldest daughter attended an Army meeting for the first time, bringing several companions.

was in fine form, and gripped the attention of a large crowd by his masterly and lucid address in the cause of Christ and Salvation. The Hearing of a terrible accident on Bloor Street, resulting in the death of a young lad, the Ensign hastened devil smarted under his sleege-hammer blows.
On Sunday, Dec. 10th, Captain Bellamy led on, and blessed the com-rades by a helpful Holiness address and by leading a bright, happy, to visit the bereaved parents and pray with them. They seemed most grateful for this timely sympathy in their hour of sorrow

On her "War Cry" rounds the Efisign came across a backslider and had considerable conversation with him. His restoration weighed heav-ily on her heart, and all through the week she and the Lieutenant offered special prayer for him. Faith was rewarded on Sunday night when the man came forward to the Merey Seat and claimed God's pardon. Four children also sought the

COMRADES SEEK SPIRITUAL POWER

On Sunday afternoon a comrade was enrolled under the Blood-and-Fire Flag by Captain Jones; and one On Sunday, Dec. 4th, at Wychwood (says A. D.) we had the joy of seeing fourteen contrades seeking a deeper experience. Officers and backslider came to the fold at night. On Monday night, Dec. 4th, the On Monday night, Dec. 4tt, the Officers and comrades of all the Picton County Corps united with us. At this service eight girls were enrolled as Life-Saving Guards by Ensign Becaroft of New Glasgow. Soldiers rejoiced over the good results.

A Band and Songster Tea was held on the following Tuesday, when Brother A. Lomay, who is leaving for overseas, was presented with a Soldier's Guide by Adjutant Urquhart.

To rule one's anger is well; to prevent it is better.

Y. P. SECRETARY

es Successful Tour in the London Division.

The comrades of Chatham (Out.) looked forward with great expec-tancy to the visit of the Brigadier. Young People's Sergeant-Major Mrs. Marshall had arranged for a children's meeting in the afternoon, and a very good number were pre-sent. We had a fine time, and several sought Salvation. Some eighteen Locals met together later and listened with great interest to the instructive address of the Brigadier. The Salvation meeting was well attended —the Band being out in full force.

The Brigadier spent two nights at London II. One was devoted entirely to the children and the Young People's Workers, and the other to a public meeting, Four boys sought

The Young People's Work at Ingersoll is going ahead; the atten-dance having doubled in the last four months. This is largely due to the splendid efforts of Captain and Mrs. Taylor and the Young People's Lo-cals. The Brigadier gave a very helpful talk to the Locals and a soulstirring address in the public meeting:

We spent the week-end at Wood-stock, commencing un Saturday night with a meeting for Life-Saving Guards. This was followed by a Le cal Officers' Council. The public meeting was bright and cheerful, and well attended. One dear sister ught Christ, and a man held up his hand for prayer.

The Brigadier gave special atten-tion to the children all day, visiting the Directory and Company meet-ings. The Holiness meeting was a soul-melting time, and twenty-six consecrated themselves afresh to God and His Kingdom.

In the afternoon the Brigadier lectured on the Young People's Work. A powerful Salvation meeting at night concluded with eight seekers, among them a husband and

During the fifteen days' tour the Brigadier conducted fourteen meetings, in which ninety-three persons sought Salvation and Sanctification.

—W. White, Staff-Captain.

SPECIAL ADDRESSES

Licutenant Webber, of London Divisional Headquarters, recently visited Sarnia (says O. J.) and conducted special meetings during the week-end. The special addresses given by the Lieutenant were full of interest and listened to by large and appreciative congregations:

We are having splendid times, under the leadership of Adjutant Maisey and Captain Johnson.



Christmas "War Cry" Brigade at Rhodes Avenue (Toronto) Corps Captain Bosher says: "We are in to sell the best Christmas War Cry'

sted. We have 1,000 copies, and are in for victory."

BRIGADIER AND MRS. BELL Conduct Impiring Meetings at Rest

The East Toronto Corps was favoured with a visit from Brigadier

and Mrs. Bell, on Sunday, Dec. 3rd. In the Holiness meeting the infant son of Brother and Sister Quint was given to God. It is noteworthy that the parents were converted and mar-ried on the same spot as that doon which the baby was dedicated. Mrs. Brigadier Bell read a portion of the first chapter of Samuel, alter which the congregation joined in singing "Gentle Jesus," which brought a hallowed feeling into the meeting. After the simple, yet impressive, dedication service, Cadet Cosway soloed "I'll Follow Thee of Life the Giver,"

the words seeming to be a continu-ation of the dedication service. The Brigadier took the life of Samuel as an illustration, showing Godly mothers and fathers dedicating their children to the Lord. He also made a statement to the effect that, many of the Cadets who had come under bis observation, and who had consecrated their lives to God in the Training College, could trace the cause back to the time when their parents dedicated them

The usual afternoon cottage meeting was conducted by the Cadets, accompanied by Mrs. Brigadier Bell, at the home of an invalid Soldier— Mrs. Sutton. The meeting was in-teresting, and Mrs. Bell's short talk on the goodness of our Heavenly Father, was enjoyed by all.

The host of Brigadier and Mrs. Bell accompanied them to the night meeting, and gave a concise but definite testimony to the effect that and serve Him for fifty years. The and serve film for nity years. The Cadets sang feelingly "Come With Me, Visit Calvary," and Cadet Bell-chambers spoke impressively. The Brigadier's address was illustrated convincing stories, and he spoke feelingly on the great love of God. Three souls came forward to the Mercy Seat. Two of the conwhich Captain Gillingham had on hand, and we felt that the saving thorough when one of the young women rose up from the Penitent Form to go and plead with her sister.-Cadet Bond.

DRUNKARÓS CLAIM

Deliverance and Take Stand for God

On Sunday last the meetings at Montreal I. were well attended, and some good cases for Salvation and Sanctification—one coming out in knee-drill. There was present all day a convert who had come out at the close of the Band's Saturday night service, delivered from drink. He is a real trophy of grace, and when asked if he was prepared to give up all bad habits, he handed over two pipes, with his pouch of tobacco. He has got into steady work, and is taking his stand.

Two nights were given us by Enweather was very wet, nice crowds came along and enjoyed the "Life Story" and "Peculiar People I Have Met." Three good cases were out for pardon. One, a respectable woman, who had recently been in good circumstances, but got away through drink. She praises God for directing her to The Army Citadel, and is keeping true to her vows,

Prayer, like electricity, bears its messages silently and swiftly.

COMMISSIONER RICHARDS

(Continued from Page 3) affords me great pleasure to accord you's very sincere and cordial wel-come," said His Worship, "and our

The Commissioner has never been heard to better advantage when de-Byering his very interesting lecture in connection with The Army's Mis-liferary and Social Operations, and his very vivid and intensely interesting stories stirred the crowd to re-

peated handelappings. Mr. Cockburn (a warm friend of The Army) moved a vote of thanks for the "very inspiring, interesting, and eloquent" address the motion being seconded by Dr. Moore, and carried unanimously by the meeting. On behalf of the local Corps and Officers (Captain N. Robinson and Lieutenant Wilson) Major Barr Hanked His Worship the Mayor for his presence, and all who had helped to make the gathering and the first Stephen a success.

WOODSTOCK

sioner's meeting at Woodstock, N. Buthe Methodist Church was kindly loaned for the service by Rev. Mr. Church-this beautiful edifice being well filled. Brigadier Morris soloed. His Worship Mayor W. Sutton presided over the gathering, and, from a personal, as well as civic, standpoint, heartly welcomed the Commissioner to the town.

En that racy, humorous, and yet convincing style of his, the Com-

milssioner spoke for over one and a very attentive audience a comhis very attentive audience a com-prehentive idea as to the work The Army was endeavoiring to do from a Spiritual Social, Rescue, and Military standpoint throughout the world. Then, with all the carness-ness of his being, he clearly defined the principles and dectrines for

which The Army stood. Owing to the Chairman being wing to the Chairman being called early from the meeting, the Chief Secretary was called upon to slitche breach, and the general opinion was that he did the job most efficiently.

The Rev. Mr. Howard moved a vote of thanks. "Sometimes," he said, "a vote of thanks is a mere formality, but the vote I move tonight, I assure you, is not in the least of that character, and I have much pleasure in moving a hearty wore of thanks to the speaker."

The motion was seconded by the Rey Mr. Baird, of the Presbyterian

The Chief Secretary moved, seconded, and put to the meeting a hearty vote of thanks for the presi-dency of the Mayor, the same being carried beyond all doubt, and Cap-tain Squarebriggs was deputed to tarry the same on the morrow to

The Captain also thanked the sombers of the Methodist Church sud their Minister, on behalf of initially Mrs. Squarebriggs, and the Joeal comrades, for the loan of the Church, and, from the hearty and clipping he received, although 12: has only been stationed at the Corps since the Fall Congress, when the autounced that he was ready at are amounted that he was ready are time of the day or night to render usistance to the needy, has already made himself well known to the townspeople, and his efforts in the town appreciated.—A. X.

The Bible will fill the head with day as his comrade, and to his wido

ACTION KILLED IN CAPTAIN MILTON PAYS SUPREME SACKIFICE SOME TRI-BUTES TO HIS UNSELFISH DEVOTION TO OTHERS

THE brief announcement in the last issue of "The War Cry" that Captain Milton had been killed in action caused a wave of sorrow to ass over his comrade-Salvationists. The Captain is the first Canadian Salvation Army Officer to pay the



Captain' Milton

supreme sacrifice for his country. Beyond the bare official announce ment of his death we have no further particulars, and can only sur mise that he was cut down by the bullets of the enemy during a recent drive forward of the Canadian forces.

A letter from him was received by rigadier Morris just a few days be fore the news of his death arrived. In this he said:-

"I am quite well. We have just come out of the trenches for a few days, after a strennous time. Still, I am very thankful to God for sparing my life thus far. I was permitted to conduct a short funeral service over the remains of one dear man who paid the extreme price of laying down his life for his country.

"I shall never forget the scene! First of all, we dug a grave, and then a few of us, standing right within range of the enemy's line, I read a short passage of Scripture, offered a prayer, and repeated the committal service. I am sure his dear wife will be glad, as so many are not able to have the last respects paid to them. I would earnestly ask your prayers that my life may prove a blessing to the men of my battalion. The in-tense longing of my heart is to ren-der service for God and country."

That the Captain exerted a splendid influence among his fellowsoldiers is certain.

Sister Mrs. Fletcher of Perth formerly Captain Bruce) tells us hat her husband enlisted in the 80th Battalion on the same day as the Captain. Both were promoted ser-geant together. On reaching England they were sent to different bat talions-Captain Milton to the 73rd order to get to the front the Captain went on a private. Writing to his

'Though he (Milton) has lost his rank as a sergeant, he has not lost his qualities as a Christian and a gentleman. He has the respect and confidence of all the men in the battalion, and is continually sacrificing his own interests on behalf o others. He has been of great help

to me personally in a spiritual way." Brother Fletcher fell on the same day as his comrade, and to his widow Memorial Service

The Kingston "Standard," in re-porting a memorial service held at the local Corps for Captain Milton, said:-

"Last night the local Corps of The Selvation Army conducted a most impressive memorial service in memory of the late Captain Milton, who fell in the fight recently in to the doors by friends who wanted to pay their last respects to the dead soldier and Salvationist. As The Army marched from their open-air meeting to the barracks, the Band

The meeting inside was conducted by Ensign Smith.

"Mr. Pickering spoke for the men of The Army and Mrs. Wheelock spoke for the women members. each paying a tribute to the excellent qualities and Christian character of their dead comrade.

"Mrs. Smith rendered a most touching memorial solo, and re-ferred to Captain Milton as one that was as near to her as her own brother. Ensign Smith told of the close and intimate friendship that had de-veloped between him and Captain. Milton, and how in his home, and in Salvation Army work, they had grown to love each other as David loved Jonathan.

Captain the Rev. Canon Fitz-Gerald spoke for the Chaplains of the camp at Barriefield, and said that Captain Milton was a man that all could easily love, and all who knew must really mourn. The Canon read the last letter which he rehe told of his work among the wounded, whilst himself a convalescent in a French hospital. In words of eloquence and sympathy the rechis brother-Chaplain, and at the close of the service, eight found their way to the front and express-Milton had lived.

"During the camp at Barriefield in the summer of 1915, the late Captain Milton was on the staff as a Chaplain, and his work among the men soon made him many friends, Brig.-General Hemming and all the officers of the staff liked him, and the men among whom he worked sought and secured his advice.

"Captain Milton was an Englishman, and served in the Imperial army in the Royal Horse Artillery, and under the colours saw three years' service in India. He had two brothers in the present fight, and felt it was his duty to go to France. He took the qualifying course of the Provincial School of Infantry in Kingston, and in order to get over-

seas gave up his commission.

"Just a few days ago Ensign Smith sent him a well-packed box for Christmas, and in it was alittle reminder from the 'Standar's but when the box reaches the front it will pass to another, for Captain Milton has fallen in the fight. In Kingston he has left behind an influence for good, which will linger like the sweet fragrance of the rose, long after his body has turned to dust for 'Of such is the Kingdom of

Heaven.'" * . * -* A memorial service was also beld at Lippincott, at which Captain Kimmins spoke of his associations with the late Captain Milton, whi stationed at the Corps, He paid a tribute to his sterling character. The Corps Sergeant-Major spoke of his Godliness and his enthusiastic zeal for the Kingdom of God,

THE Y. P. SECRETARY Conducts a Splendid Campaign.

We had a victorious week-end Woodstock (Ont.) recently, when Brigadier Bettridge and Staff-Cape tain White visited us (says E. R.K.

On Saturday evening the Brigadier and the Staff-Captain met the Life-Saving-Guards over a cup of tea; and gave them some valuable tea, and gave them some valuable advice concerning the creed of guarding their mind, body, and soul. Adjourning to another room, where the Young People's Workers had gathered, the Brigadier addressed them for some time, and enlarged upon the work amongst the Justice.

and improvements that were to be made to facilitate tenching during the coming year. This was followed by a crowded open-air on the Mare ket Square. Then a rousing Free and-Easy meeting at the Citadel, at nardon.

It was fully evident that the Spirit of God was in the Holmess meeting on Sunday morning, when, at the Brigadier, twenty-one stood up for Consecration and Sanctification, including one Guard, who sought Sale

In the afternoon Brigadier Betti ridge dedicated the infant daughter of Sergeant and Mrs. Jerry. Sergeant Jerry is at present in England with the 168th Battalion, C.E.F. The Brigadier afterwards spoke of the various branches of the Young People's Work.

A splendid Salvation meeting at night was followed by an enthusias-tic prayer meeting and wind-up, at which seven souls claimed pardon and Salvation, including an exgrand total of twenty-nine souls for the week-end. Staff-Captain While assisted the Brigadier in all the meets ings, which were well attended. The Guards was much appreciated.

A GOOD LITTLE WORKER

Nettie is one of our most energi getic workers, and the interest she displays in the Coleman Corps proves to us that she indeed pos-sesses the true Army spirit, which is the Spirit of Christ. At every open-air and every possible meeting



Sister Nettie Graham

she can attend, Nettie, without fail, is bound to be there.

Some time ago she expressed a deaire to sell "War Crys," and a dozen "Crys" per week were given her, but her pleasant smile and cheering manner soon found more customers, and now to day she, it selling thirty-four copies weekly.
Needless to say Nettie is a true Sale vationist, and her mother is the Treasurer for our newly-comm sioned flome League, T. H. M.

EWS NOTES and COMMEN

THE WAR CRY

OUR DISABLED SOLDIERS

HE PROBLEM of finding employment for our erippled soldlers is engaging the earn; est attention of many public men. "The end of the war

men. "The end of the war is not in eight," eavs Sir Edmund Walker, President of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, "but the wounded and otherwise disabled soldiers are coming back, and it is not too are coming back, and it is not too early to come to close grips with the problem of finding employment. for those who have no claims on previous employers, and of caring for those who are partly or completely disabled.

"To-day, every employer of labour, manufacturer, merchant, banker, or whatever his calling, should be con-Bidering how he can employ a few partly-disabled men, and thus do something more in carrying the bur-dens of the war.

every month will witness a further British army before the end of the ANOTHER BLOW AT BOOZE congestion of the labour market and a further decrease in the demand for labour. High food prices, not felt nearly so keenly to-day because of good wages, will still be main-

wages will have greatly declined. These facts give point to the appeala being made for people to economize and save all they can.

A NATION AT WAR

ENGLAND is at war en masse (writes Arthur Gleason in the New York "Tribune"). And the proof of it is not that she has raised

an army. Any country can mise an army, if it has to.

The proof of it is that she has changed a cherished habit. That means a spiritual change. It is a lot harder to break up a habit than it is to fight an enemy. The fact that "Many a machine shop can use a two million persons are saving Zertain number of one-armed and money to give to the Government

year. Sole leather is equally a seri-ous proposition. The Russian Govcrament have given the English Government an order and are prepared to take up to 40,000,000 feet of upper leather for shipment. These figures are far away the biggest, and fairly put anything that has ever been heard of before in the shade for

such a short delivery period.

This means that there may practically be no civilian leather available in a very short time; it being the Government's intention to put a toothcomb through the market, and take everything they can use, whether it is suitable or unsuitable.

CIRCULATION OF BIBLE INCREASES

THE fact that the circulation of the Bible has greatly increased since the outbreak of war is pointed to as evidence that the world bas been sobered by the great tragedy.

AGREAT campaign, known as the "Strength of England" movement, is in progress in the Mother Land. Its aim is to secure national Prohibition. In a statement laid before the Government, the leaders say that alcohol hinders the army, is the cause of grave delay with munithe cause of grave usual with municitions, delays transports, and congests the docks. Dangers to the mercantile marine and the food supply are also pointed out; and the conclusion is reached that no nation can be at full strength with such a factor in its midst.

The statement goes on to say: "The suspension of the liquor traffic during the war, the conversion of the public houses into house of re-freshment, will quicken up our civil and fighting populations, will raise a new fire of resolution in our people, and will give to millions the first opportunity they ever had of break-



one-legged men with hardly any loss of efficiency. The Hospitals Com-mission sends them out better pre-pared to lessen the effect of their isabilities than the wounded soldiers of other wars,

"When everything that human skill and sympathy can do is done, we shall till bave some men to be entirely taken care of by the State. I hope that in creating Soldiers' Homes for these, as well as in finding good work for all not totally disabled, we shall completely revolu-shoulze the past and make the name of Canada shine brightly for its wisdom and its humanity in caring for its crippled heroes."

A CALL TO ECONOMY

THE present may seem a time of prosperity, but it is illusive. Na-Bonal leaders, both in Canada and Great Britain are warning the people-

that trying times are coming.

The moment peace is declared, they point out, the whole industrial tion will change as if by magic. The great work of munition-making, with all its allied industries, will cease. Labour, which is to-day at a premium, will then be at a discount. Wages will follow their invariable of supply and demand, and

Warzaw Under German Rule-A Street Scene in the Polish Capital On this farm wagon, with its bizarre shape, is a Polish mother, with a baby on her knee and her little girl in front of her. A big chest is chained to one side of the wagon. The peasant farmer marches by

for earrying on the war is the clearest single proof that the English

By temperament the English are a by temperament the English are a colonizing, adventurous people, That means they are an open-handed people, to whom the careful ways of thrift are distasteful. Then, too, they are a race of individualists, doing what they like with their own race to whom collective effort is a bore. But they violated their in-stinct to win this war. For the English were free spenders, and it revesled more devotion in them to individual subscriptions than it did to raise five million men in recruiting.

DEMAND FOR LEATHER

HE chief cause of the high price of leather to-day is the immense demands made for this product by the Allied Governments.

According to a London paper, seven million feet of leather for ankle boots will be required by the

and his publish a real freeze

In 1913 the circulation of Bibles and parts of Bibles was 28,000,000 copies, of which the British and For-9,000,000. In the present year the total circulation has been 35,000,000, of which the British and Foreign Bible Society has sent out 11,000,000 The Issues of the Bible in the English language has doubled in three years, while it is interesting to note that the British and Foreign Bible Society has circulated more Bible in the languages of the enemy counhouses of those countries in thei

own tongues.

There is now more reading and studying of the Bible than at any time in the world's history. In 1804, when Napoleon, the despot of that day, was abroad, there were only 3,000,000 copies of the Bible in existence, and the annual circulation was 250,000. About that time Voltaire predicted that in a century the Bible would he a forgotten book. But, fortunately, he was a false prophet.

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ing old habits of weakness and form-

It is to be hoped that the Government will be roused to take action on this vital question.

VANCOUVER DRYDOCK ALARGE, floating drydock is to be constructed at Vancouver, It will be a 16,000-ton, double-section dock, capable of handling a hoat of 18,000 tons, which is the measure of maximum requirements on the Pa-

That this will supply a long-feld that this will supply a long-test want will be evident from the fact that steamers salling from Canadian ports on the Pacific at present are forced to doek for repairs at Hong Kong, at Kohe (Japan), or in Aus-

NEW FIRE ALARM

AN automatic device has been patented by a Mexican employee of the railways for installation in warehouses, by which whenever the temperature is increased to a certain point through any artificial cause, an alarm is rung in all the fire department stations, and the apparatus fore there is any open outbreak,

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NEW READERS, START HERE

mmary of Previous Chapters

The story opens with the introsetion of two of the principal charman, and Joe Brown, an American man, and joe brown, are gunners in a British artillery battery stationed at Malta. The second chapter describes e carnival at Valletts, the capital of the teland, at which George and Joe are interested spectators. The folthat happened on their way home to acks that same night, and which momentous consequences for

CHAPTER III.

GEORGE DOES A CHIVAL ROUS DEED

HE two young soldiers spent a very pleasant afternoon strolling about the city, taking in the sights and visit-ing various shops. George, having a whole five pounds to spend, had taken much pleasure in bargaining for several articles that he desired to purchase to send home to his mother and sisters; and, by the he got through he had some tipe samples of Maltese lace and jewellry, some delicate silks from the East, and a rich, goldembroidered table cloth

Shopping in Malta is very different from the same process in these bustling Western lands. Nobody is in a hurry to either buy or sell, and there are no price marks on the what the shopkeeper asks for any article, but play a game of "watchful waiting" with him, and only close the deal when you see you have got him down to the minimum price, or hink you have. This was a great diversion to George and Joe, and they began to think they were some they began to think they were some bargainers when they succeeded in setting an article for five shillings that the shopkeeper had asked twenty-five for in the first instance.

They had ten at the Soldiers' Instiute, and in the evening walked see the fireworks. Towards nine o'clock they began to think of returning to barracks, as neither of them was an old enough soldier to he entitled to a permanent pass, and they had not bothered to put in for special permit to be out after

As they were proceeding down a side street towards the Marsamuscette landing stage, from whence they had to take a ferry to the op-posite side of the harbour, their attention was arrested by a woman's

Looking in the direction from young Maltese woman struggling to free herself, from the grasp of a ldier. Her faldetta had fallen back from her head, and, by the light of

the fairy lamps overhead, George, at any fate, noticed that she was a girl of rare beauty. The soldier was evidently bent on imprinting a kiss

All the chivalric instincts in George's soul rose to the surface at the sight, and he strode angrily for-

"Hi, there | let the girl alone," he shouted, as he laid a strong hand on the man's shoulders and roughly

Releasing the girl, the soldier turned round to face his assailant, and then George noticed for the first

to the Major, no doubt it would he would get the hot time! you who

retorted George.
But before any more words could
pass, there came a sudden interruption. An angry Maltese man, wildly gesticulating and uttering many words, doubtless threats, in his own language, stood before them. George saw the glint of steel in the man's t before he realized clearly what was happening the corpore what was nappening the utilities a cry, and then attempted to grapple with the Maltese, calling out that he had been stabbed.

There was a rush of many feet,



"Hil' there-let the girl alone!" he shouted as he laid a strong

time that he was a corporal of his own company.

"Take your dirty paws off me!" snarled the corporal, on realizing that it was only a gunner he had to face. "Don't you know you are liable to six months for assaulting a superior officer."

"In the performance of his duty: I suppose?" put in Joc, who had closely followed his friend. The corporal grew furious at this

"Get off to barracks and mind your own business, or I'll make it list for your he threatened; "I "don't put up with any back talk from

"If I was to report your conduct

and George and Joe found themselves in the centre of an excited mob of natives. They got pushed hither and thither, but beyond that no violence was offered to them, and before long they succeeded in extri-

cating themselves. "Our friend the corporal seems to have had his hot time already," said Joe; "wonder how he feels now?" "Hadn't we better try and find him?" seid. George: "perhaps he needs aid, and I'm not the chap to leave another soldier in the lurch, even if I am on bad terms with

They retraced their steps a little way and soon came across the unfortunate corporal sitting on a step.

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and trying to staunch the flow of blood from his arm by means of a handkerchief.

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thought to be the trail.

again. This experience made

the Valley safely that night ...

realize keenly what a terrible thing it is to be lost, either in body or soul

Him the darkness shineth as the light. This I have proved I reached

"On leaving Sandon for White

water, the railroad was so badly

washed out that I had to travel on a

hand car with the section men. Ar

riving at the mining station, I put up at the hotel. (Only one there.) There

were no women in this place, and the cook asked me if I was not

afraid to go into a place like this

which he remarked. What would you do if you met a bear R (which was not unlikely in those places), to

which I replied that God would take

care of me while I was there for the

Kingdom's sake. He said, 'Well, of course, if you think that way it

would not burt you; but God has nothing to do with it.

"Next day, leaving in another direction to that which I had come

into Whitewater, I got on a train

consisting of one passenger coach ond a number of box cars loaded with ore. There were fifteen men

besides myself, and we had gone

only a few miles, when conviction

going to be wrecked. I tried to put

the thought from my mind, but it came to me so strongly that I shut

my eyes and a vision of the wrecked

train came before me. A few min-

utes afterwards, just as we were coming round a bend in the road,

there was a terrible shock, and, look-

ing out I saw all that part of the

car) between the engine and our coach, lying in the ditch beneath-

smashed to atoms, just as I had seen it a few minutes before in vision.

"We all got out of the coach into

the car which had not been wreck-

ed, and rode the rest of the way sit-

ting on top of the ore. Here again

not all killed was because a Salva-

"Many of the logging camps are

on the coast, and can only be reach-ed by boat. Sometimes I have a sub-

stantial amount of the Lord's mone

on my person during these trips. As a rule I am the only woman pas-

senger on the boat, and sometimes

never see a woman for weeks. Br

God protects me from harm, and I have seldom been molested. Land-

ing at the Rock Bay after dark, I

followed the only person I could

see around, who was a man from the hotel who came down to meet

tionist was on board.

the boats

(with the exception of one box

but God is able to keep, and to

"Hurt much, corporal?" asked George

A torrent of profanity burst from the corporal's lips as he expressed his opinion of Maltese in general George might have reminded his that it was entirely his own fault! that it was critical his own tauty but he thought it better to say no-thing, and, helping to bind a hand-kerchief; fightly round the corporals arm, he and Joe assisted him along the streets to where a carozza (n carriage) could be hired, and the haspital. Then the two soldiers had to do a quick sprint to catch the ferry that would land them in Sliems just in time to hurry into barracks before roll call.

before roll call.

"II corporal Smith docsa' get smathed over to-night's little affair, he'll try, and lead us a dog's life in the future," said loo, as the two friends quietly talked over the day's events just before turning in.

"Oh, he can't do much as long as we keep straight, and do our duty as soldiers," laughed George, "if ever we get C.B. though, old Smith will make us sit up. He's the worst noncom. in the company for putting the defaulters through their drill. Every dozen paces it's 'About turn,' an no rest for the whole of the tlme."

"We have a fresh incentive now to keep good, then," laughed Joe. "Say, old Smith must have been horribly hoozed to try and pull off a stunt like he did. I didn't think he was that sort of a man at all."

"No telling what a chap will do when he's in drink," said George; "especially after imbibing the awful decoctions they serve up, in these Maltese grog shops. Now, I come to think of it, however, I remember hearing Smith say that the Carniyal time was a period of unlimited license, when a fellow was allowed to do just as he liked, and nobody would say anything to him. I sup-pose he was putting his beliefs into

Well, he is disillusioned now, I should hope," said Joe. "That was a nasty dig the Maltese gave him. The girl's lover, I suppose?"

Do you think so, Joe?" asked George; somewhat anxiously, might have been her brother, you know. She was a fine-looking wasn't she? Seemed to me for the world as if she'd just stepped out of some famous painting - fire, clear-cut features, raven black resses, flashing cycl-

"Oh, cut it out," said Juc. "Any one would think you'd fallen in leve with her at first sight. I've never heard you go on so about a gu! "Wonder what her name is?" said

George, musingly.
"Good night, George." said Jot,
abruptly: "hope you'll be more sensible in the marning."

And he went off to his own bar rack room. (To be continued)

THE BOUGHING IT THE CHRISTMAS CRY! pot notice there was a space be tween the ratts, and stepping, where (Continued from Page 7)

by which I had come up. I walked along the railroad track for some distance, and then took what I A Great Publication Achievement

THE CANADIAN "WAR CRY" is instifted in recording another "I continued along the trail for triumph, for its special issues. The Christmas number for 1916 has some time, when I discovered I had been a splendid success—from all standpoints. Canadian comrades completely lost the way, and was in have been unanimous in declaring it if not the best; to be the a dense forest in I tried for a long time to find the tracks but failed and equal of the best that has preceded it. The tollowing extract from the shouted in the hope of being heard.
Then the awful sense of being really
list took hold of me. Being weary
with much walking, and hopeless of opinion of the Chief Secretary for Canada East may be taken as representa-Stive of the opinion of the Dominion:

"Re Christmas 'Cry-The Commissioner and I went through ever finding the way in the darkness the proofs of the Christmas Cry. the other day, and really must congratulate you upon the magnificent appearance of the same. Excel-I fell upon my knees and asked elent-productions as have all others been, so far as my powers of comparison carry me, I do not hesitate to say this is going to not God's help. "After some time, I arose, and, taking the way before me, continued to only equal, but exeel, the past. We feel this 'Cry' ought to be a walk till I came out on the track great blessing to the Territory and The Army generally

> The following tribute from Colonel Gauntlett, Territorial Secretary of Western America, represents the the general opinion over the border :-

"Permit me to send you a word of hearty congratulation on your Christmas War Cry," Frum every standpoint I consider it a very fine production; but the most happy part of it is that it does appear to-contain something for everybody. For anny years now I have read the Canadian War Cry," and J think this number ceremon. tainly maintains the high reputation that the Cauadian Christmas 'War Cry' bas attained."

The following expression of opinion is from Brigadier Carpenter, Literary Secretary to The General:-

"I have carefully looked over the Christmas number for 1916 and think that, if it is not your best, it is not far below. You have a ...finc, strong number. I hope it is a good seller."

We have received a large number of letters, but they all express the same idea. The following are sentences from a few of the numerous news-

The Christmas edition of the Canadian "War Cry," published by The Salvation Army is of much interest this year. The edition is splendidly printed and abounds with magnificent illustrations, depicting Army work both at home and at "the front."

The Cluistinus number of the Canadian "War Cry," a copy of which has been received by the "Times" from Captain Ham, the energetic Officer of the local Salvation Army Corps, is a splendid groduction, and is a credit to the publishers. Besides an attractive cover, the front being "The Baic of -Bethlehem" and the back "A Good Turn," in colours, there is a very finely illustrated section.

The "Enterprise" is in receipt of a copy of the 1916 Christmas "War Cry" from Ensign Beceroft. It is a most excellent and most worthy publication of thirty-two large pages, and is full of the milk and meat of The Word from eover to cover. The stories are all real, and all of intensely human interest.

With respect to Brigadier Carpenter's friendly hope that it will be "a good seller," we have to say that the edition of 150,000 copies has been completely sold out: a sale equal to last year's, notwithstanding the fact that the increase in cost of paper, inks, and carriage to the Corps necessitated an increase in price to the Field Officers, whose loyal co-operation is worthy of the highest praise.

The Editor and Publisher have shaken hands with each other and the Commissioner has shaken with both over this victory. We understand the Easter number promises to be a record-breaker,

me more cautious than ever, but I reached the shore safely.
"Next morning I went by logging I saw the preserving hand of God. The men said the reason we were train to Camp A., and by small boat to Camp B.; then by logging train to Camp D. The men were delight-

ed to see me; some had not seen a Salvationist for years. "I returned to Rock Bay, crossed Johnson's Strait in a rowboat to Camp L. and from there to an-

other camp. "Accompanied by the late Ensign Knudson, I lauded at Salmon River at three o'clock in the morning, but as the tide was out, we had to wait till seven a.m. before we could go up the river in order to reach the mp. So meanwhile we took shel-

ter in a deserted shack, which was the only building in the vicinity. "The tide was in, and the only "When we reached the camp, we way to reach the shore was to walk a long plank. I was having a good did well financially, and bad the opportunity of holding a meeting with deal of difficulty in keeping my balthe men. On our way to Port Haronce, when all at once I heard, a vev we dealt with an old man on splash, and soon discovered that the man who was leading the way board the boat who was addicted to

glad that we had done so, as a short time afterwards are heard that he "Arriving at Port Harvey,

found it a very rough place. Here a man was running a hotel who had been a prisoner in a certain jail we had visited some time before. He recognized us and treated us very kindly. His lodging-house, which was the only one in the place, was in had shape, owing to the wild at-tack upon it by the loggers while under the influence of drink. The house had been difted off its foundation, the doors torn off, locks redoors were put on minus the locks, The night we staved there, there was quite a disturbance, but we were not interfered with in any way. Praise God!

Some camps are built on rafts. well remember one such. I got there just before tea. The foreman afterwards taking me round to the different shacks, and as we were goand fallen into the water. This made to God and a higher life, and were the foreman taking the lead, I did. Armyon infants.

I thought my guide stepped, I misewater, sinking almost to my shoulsaved myself from sinking altogether. Fortunately, there was a woman in the camp, so I got my clothes dried. But this, and similar experiences, anade me feel that this was not the most desirable work."

PERSONALIA ... Territorial

(Continued from Page 9) Territorial Staff Band. These meetings will be continued each Friday until the end of April,

On Dec. 12th, when the Commissioner was on tour, he received a cable to the effect that the Chief of the Staff had arrived in London safely, well, and comfortable,

Brigadier Bettridge, accompanied by Staff-Captoin White, has had a most successful tour in the London Division in the interests of the Young People's Work, A report of the nectings will be found else-where, and a more desailed account appears in "The Young Soldier." The Brigadier has also visited Guelph, Preston, Hespeler, and Brampton, with good results, t

The revival tour of Brigadiers Rawling and McMillan in the London Division has been attended with excellent results, hundreds reconse-erating themselves for real service-and many, seeking, Salvation,

Adjutant Kendall has been ap-puinted a Spiritual Special, and will be conducting campaigns in every Division in Canada East. Look out for further notices of his move-

Ensign and Mrs. Tutte have been transferred to Canada, West; Capthem in the command of Halifax L.

Captain Steele, one of The Army's Chaplains with the Canadian troops, is now in France.

During the past six months the Enquiry Department has been suc-cessful in finding forty-eight miss-ing friends. Lieut,-Colonel Hargraye (the Men's Social Secretary) desires to thank the Corps' Officers and others for their interest and assistance in this connection.

Lieut.-Colonel Hargrave, assisted hy Adjutant Cornish, conducted the meeting at Mimico Prison last Sunday.

Lieutenant Webber, of the London Divisional Headquarters, re-cently received a cubic informing. of the death of his mother-Mrs. Adjutant Webber-in England. Qur deepest sympathy is extended to the Lieutenant in this bereave ment

Lieutenant Haynes, of Tillsonburg, wishes to convey her thanks, through "The War Cry," to the comrades and friends who have sent letters of consolation and sympathy respecting the death of Captain Milton, who was killed in action.

We hear with much regret that Sergeant Bramwell Pickering has been killed in action. Bramwell, who was scarcely twenty years of age, was the son of the late Brigadier and Mrs. Pickering. His sister Gladys is now the only remaining member of the family, and our deepest sympathy is extended to her in this fresh bereavement.

Of the hundred Cadets, at present in the New York Training Garrison. -fifty-four were Corns Cadets, thirtyfive were Junior Soldiers, and seven-

ARMY SONGS

ROOM FOR JESUS

Have you any room for Jesus-He who bore your load of sin? As He knocks and asks admission Sinner, will you let Him in?

Cborus Room for Jesus, King of Glory! Room for pleasure, room for busi

ness,
But for Christ the Crucified—
Not a place that He can enter,
In the heart for which He died!

Room and time now give to Jesus; Soon will pass God's day of grace; Soon your heart be cold and silent, And your Saviour's pleading cease.

MAKE ME THINE

Why should I be a slave to sin, To foes without and foes within To foes without and foes within Sometimes I mount, sometimes cast down. Sometimes ali smile, sometimes all

Be Thou my strength, be Thou my all, Then surely I shall never fall;

If none can pluck me from Thy I more than conqueror shall stand.

Tis true I have no room to boast, When most I'm saved I'm humbled

Kept low by grace, and not by sin, My soul shall make her boast in Him

HE PASSETH BY!

Tunes.-Ye banks and bracs, 121; Madrid, 117; Song Book, 86. What means this eager, anxious

Which moves in husy haste along-These wondrous gatherings day by the day? throng,

What means this strange commotion, pray? In accents hushed the throng reply, Fresus of Nazareth passeth by."

Jesus! 'tis He who once below Man's pathway trod, 'mid pain and

And burdened ones, where'er He

came, Brought out their sick, and deaf, and

lame; The blind rejoiced to hear the cry: "lesus of Nazareth passeth by."

PASS ME NOT!

Pass me not, O loving Saviour, Hear my humble cty; ile on others Thou art calling, Do not pass me by.

Saviour, Saviour, hear my humble cry, etc.

Let me at the Throne of Mercy Pind a sweet relief; Kneeling there in deep contrition,

Help my unbelief. Trusting only in Thy merit,

Would I seek Thy face;

Heal my wounded, broken spirit,

Save me by Thy grace.

JOY BELLS!

You may have the joy bells ringing in your heart, And a peace that never from you will depart;
Walk the straight and narrow way,

Live for Jesus every day; He will keep the joy hells ringing in your heart!

Chorus loy bells ringing in your heart; loy bells ringing in your heart; lyke the Saviour here below With you everywhere you go; He will keep the loy bells ringing in your heart!

with trials on your

TRADE!

Bargain for Young People's

Sergeant Majors and Life - Saving Scout and Guard Troop Leaders HURRY UP! ONLY A FEW LEFT

Invaluable to Young People's Workers, when Demonstrations are required, are the "INTERNATIONAL MUSICAL DRILLS" and the "INTERNATIONAL DEMONSTRATOR," and now is the time to get these Manuals, so as to work up striking Young People's Demonstrations for the Children's Annuals.

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We have at the Toronto Trade Headquarters eighteen copies of the
"International Demonstrator," containing musical exercises, living pictures,
action songs and saving ang sames, with nearly two hundred illustrature
settlets, also three copies of "Musical Drills," with three hundred and fifty
illustrative designs. They copies are very alightly stained with sea with
on a few of the pages. They will, therefore, be sold at half-price, and will
be sent post-free for fifty cents. Orders will be executed as received—
first come, girst served—so don't delay if you would get this bargain, but
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Field Officers and Young People's Sergeant-Majors: NOTE!

We are out to meet your needs in the matter of books for your libraries and prizes. Our selection is matchless for the purpose. The Commissioner, has been at great labour to personally select the books and we aim at supplying you at a cheaper rate than any other book-selling firm. If you know of a book that is being sold at a lower price than our list shows, tell us and we will show that we can beat competitors; but, mind, the editions must be the same. Our books are of a high grade of production, so books that bear the same titles, hus are abridged editions, with interior paper and binding, and scarcity of illustrations, may be bought at a lower price than ours. But who would be mean enough to give such hooks as prizes? The best are none too good for our children—God bless emi

BEGIN TO THINK AND TO PLAN FOR YOUR YOUNG PEOPLE'S PRIZE-GIVING MEETING RIGHT AWAY!

(Young People's Annuals Are On March 3rd, 4th, and 5th)

And Don't Forget Our Bargains!

journey home, Grace sufficient He will give to overcome.

Tho' unseen by mortal eye, And He'll keep the joy bells ringing in your heart!

LIEUT.-COLONEL TURNER

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subscribed, together with the gift of an empty store and a splendid lot, centrally located. The comrades are delighted, and we saw the first nails driven. The night meeting, notwith-atanding the cold weather and high wind, was one of interest and bless-

wind, was one of interest and bless-ing to all who attended.

The same night we left for Red Deer, where we arrived next day at noon, to look over some property— passing on the same afternoon.

Wetaskiwin

we found that Corps Cadet Annie Holmes had the Colonel well announced, and a splendid meeting followed; the comrades being an-xious for the Colonel to come again soon, and to come for a Sunday. Midnight again found us on the train, and bound for Camrose, where were scheduled to open another

(To be Coffeluded Next Week)

COMING EVENTS

COMMR. RICHARDS

*Yorkville.—December 31. (11 a.m. *Toronto 1.—December 31. (7 p.m. *Temple.—December 31. (Watch Night Service.)

Brantford,-January 4 (Soldiers) Meeting). *Parliament St .- January 5 (Holiness Meeting).

*Toronto.—January 7 (Young Peo-ple's Day.) 1.-January 11 (Soldiers' Hamilton

Meeting). - January 14. (Young Montreal. — Jan People's Day.) Catharines January 16 (Soldierrs' Meeting).

Hamilton. — January 21. (Young People's Day.) Galt.—January 25 (Soldiers' Meet-

ing).
Peterboro. — January 28. (Young People's Day.)
("The Territorial Staff Band will accompany)

COLONEL McMILLAN

Yorkville .- December 31. (morning.)
Toronto 1.—December 31 (night)
Temple.—December 31: (Watch-Night Service)

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Montreal. — January 14. (Young People's Day.)
Hamilton. — January 21. (Years People's Day.)

eterboro. — January 28. (Young WATCH-NIGHT SERVICES

Dovercourt.--Lieut.-Col. Hargrave Chester.--Brigadier Morris West Toronto.—Brigadier Wille mariscourt Brigadier Bettridge pincott.-Major Turpin Wychwood.—Major Moore Liegar Street.—Adjutant Kendall Riverdale.—Adjutant Cornish East Toronto,-Adjutant Tynd Parliament St.-Adjutant Dun North Toronto.-Captain Spoo Rhodes Avenue. Captain Little

LIEUT.-COL. and MRS. CHAND. LER-Hamilton 1, Dec. 31.

BRIG. ADBY-Toronte 1, Dec. 31 (night); Toronto (Y. P. Day);

BRIG. BETTRIDGE - Toronto, Jan. 7; Montreal, Jan. 14; Hamil-ton, Jan. 21; Peterboro, Jan. 28.

BRIG. and MRS. BELL—Parliament Street (Holiness Meetings), Jau. 5, 12, 19, and 26. MAJOR and MRS. McAMMOND
—Temple, Dec. 31 (11 a.m. and 3
p.m.); Toronto (Y. P. Day); Janza

Captain Mapp (Territorial Orga-nizer, Life-Saving Guards)—Lop-pincott (Demonstration), Jan. 5; Toronto (Y. P. Day), Jan. 7; Essa Toronto, Jan. 8; Earlscourt, Jan. 9; Parliament St., Jan. 11; Doved-court, Jan. 16; West Toronto, Jan. 19; Hamilton (Y. P. Day), Jul. 21; Lansdowne, Jan. 22; York-ville, Jan. 23; Rhodes Ave., Jan. 25; Peterbor (Y. P. Day), Jan.

COMMISSIONER SOWTON Winnipeg Men's Social.—Dec. 31. Winnipeg 1.—December 31 (Water-

Winnipeg 1.—January 7-10. (Salva-tion Campaign.) 11-14 (Salvation

tion Campaign. Regina.—January 11-14 (Salvation tion Campaign.) Winnipeg 9.—January 21. Winnipeg Training School.—January 22. (Spiritual Day.) Saskatoon.—February 47 (Salvation Campaign.) Winnipeg.—February 11 (Yong People's Day.) Winnipeg.—Gent Councits. Winnipeg.—Gent Councits. Winnipeg.—February 12 (Field and Winnipeg.—Gent Councits.) Winnipeg.—February 25 (Yong People's Day). People's Day).
Calgary.—February 26 éField and
Local Officers' Councils).

man.-February 27. (Mrs. Sowton will accompany)

LIEUT.-COL TURNER (Territorial Secretary)

Winnipeg 8.—December 3l.
Stoney Mountain.—January 1.
Regina.—January 7-10. (Saivation Campaign.)

Winnipeg 1.—January 11-14. (Salva-tion Campaign.) elkirk.-January 21. Moose Jaw.—January 21.

Moose Jaw.—January 26-28. (Saltstion Campaign.)

MAJOR and MRS. COOMBS-Regina (Watch-night), Dec. 31, Regina, Jan. 1.

aleation Singers Stoney Mone-tain Pen., Jan. 1; Winsless (Salvation Campaign), Jan. 24; Winnipeg 9, Jan. 21; (Y. P. Day), Feb. 11;